

Department Estimates Slashed LOWELL POLICE IN DEATH PROBE

LOWELL POLICE ASSIST COUNTY AUTHORITIES TO SOLVE TEWKSBURY TRAGEDY

Police Working on Theory That Boisvert Obtained Liquor at Tewksbury House—Local Officers Assist in "Moonshine" Raid—Positions of Bodies in Death Car Described by Men Who Found Them—Auto Experts Believe That Deaths Were Not Caused by Gasoline Fumes—No Indications of Foul Play

The Lowell police and Middlesex county investigators who are now working in unison on the Tewksbury double-death tragedy, believe today that they have discovered the place in Tewksbury where Arthur Boisvert of Lawrence obtained the liquor found in the death car.

A quantity of alleged liquor, obtained in a county and police officers' raid on a Trull road farmhouse in Tewksbury yesterday—a raid ordered by the district attorney's office and in which members of the Lowell police department figured—is to be chemically tested by the proper medical authorities to find out just what materials the concoction was composed of.

This development today, indicating it is believed, that the authorities of Tewksbury and the county, as well as the co-operating Lowell police and district attorney's department are searching for further evidence that will prove conclusively where Boisvert and the Clemen girl actually obtained their

160 ORPHANS REMOVED TO SAFETY —FIREMAN DIES OF INJURIES

Two Buildings of Orphans' Home at Webster Place, Franklin, N. H., Destroyed by Fire—All Children Removed Without Injury—Four Firemen Caught Under Falling Wall—One Fatally Injured—Loss Set at \$60,000—One Dead, Two Missing and Loss of \$1,500,000 in Syracuse Fire

FRANKLIN, N. H., Feb. 13.—Two buildings of the plant of the New Hampshire Orphans' home at Webster place, were burned early today. All of the 160 children were removed without injury and cared for in other buildings of the institution. Four firemen were caught under a falling wall and injured, one fatally. The loss is estimated at \$60,000.

Injuries Prove Fatal
Peter Savola sustained a fractured skull and died at the Franklin hospital a few hours later. Arthur Wise

Senate Takes up Debt Funding Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The British debt funding bill was taken up in the senate today, under an agreement reached after conference between President Harding and republican leaders for laying aside the administration shipping bill temporarily but without displacing it from privileged status.

HIGHLAND CLUB
Tonight
THE STRATFORDS
Weldon's Orchestra of Lawrence

Police Find 125 Gallon Still in Operation and Unearth Vast Quantities of Mash and Moonshine



SCENE AT RAID IN LAKEVIEW AVENUE—BARRELS OF MASH AND JUGS OF MOONSHINE

What is believed to be one of the largest and most "elaborate" stills yet brought to the attention of local liquor officers, was taken into custody this morning when the premises of Franciszek Leszyk, numbered four room of 122 Lakeview avenue, opposite Coburn street, were raided by Officers Liston, Molony, Leachy, Cotter, Cossette, Hamilton and Gan-

SHOT DEAD BY BOSTON OFFICERS

Proprietor of Near Beer Saloon Slain by Patrolman D. M. O'Connell

Hit Officer Over Head With Stove Shaker After Selling Drink of Liquor

Was About to Strike Him Again When Officer Drew Pistol and Fired

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Luigi Seakglizza, proprietor of a near-beer saloon on Bunker Hill street, in the Charlestown district, was shot dead by Patrolman Daniel M. O'Connell today. O'Connell reported that he went into the place in plain clothes, bought a drink of liquor and then started to arrest the proprietor.

Seakglizza, the patrolman said, hit him over the head with an iron stove shaker and started to hit him again. O'Connell then drew his pistol and fired. The man was wounded in the head and was pronounced dead when taken to a hospital.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS
NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Exchanges \$482,400,000; balances \$55,000,000.
BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Exchanges, \$45,000,000; balances, \$10,000,000.

COMMISSION PROTESTS REP. ACHIN'S BILL

(Special to The Sun)
STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 13.—The civil service commission today filed a protest with the legislative committee on cities to the bill of Rep. Henry Achin, Jr., authorizing the mayor of Lowell and the chief of the fire department to reinstate William J. Lambert a member of the Lowell department without civil service examination. The commission notified the committee of its opposition to all bills of this nature.

Rep. Achin spoke before the committee in favor of the bill and also recorded Representatives Victor E. Jowett and F. O. Lewis and Senator Frank H. Putnam as favoring it. Lambert was a member of the department for 11 years and now seeks reinstatement, without civil service examination.

At a recent meeting of the Lowell city council, support of the bill was voiced.

SPOT CASH

For nearly 100 years our depositors have been able to get their money any time they wanted it.

Savings Department interest begins the first of each month.

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National Bank**

14 RESCUED AT LAWRENCE FIRE

Scantly Clad Tenants Fled When Blaze Broke Out in Amesbury Street Block

Children Attired in Nighties Taken Into Garage—Later Conveyed to Police Station

\$25,000 Loss Caused by Fire in Elks Building, Lynn, This Morning

LAWRENCE, Feb. 13.—Fourteen persons were rescued in an early morning fire that partially destroyed a three story tenement block on Amesbury street.

The fire started in the drygoods store of Elms at Amesbury and Essex streets found heavy smoke pouring out of the Blaney store and on breaking in the door flames shot high in the air and

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LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY
On account of the illness of Conductor Hood, there will be no rehearsals this week.

BLACK VELVET HANDBAG with small sum of money lost, from 435 Fletcher st., through North common and Hancock ave. Reward 435 Fletcher st., or Tel. 1571-M.

BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION SLASHES MORE THAN \$500,000 FROM ESTIMATES

TWO COL. HD FRONT BODT
The budget and audit commission has cut between half a million and \$500,000 from the budget estimates presented by city departments for 1923 and by so doing has reduced the total to substantially the amount of last year's total expenditures.

Chairman Tyler A. Stevens was unable to give out the exact figures relating to the cut today, but said the commission's budget would be presented to Mayor John J. Donovan tomorrow.

It was said at the mayor's office this forenoon that upon receipt of the

budget commission's figures the mayor will compile a budget of his own and present both sets of figures, including the departmental estimates, to the city council at its next meeting. Although all department heads appeared before the budget and audit commission and the mayor at preliminary sessions conducted last week, it is possible that one or two officials will be asked to appear before Mayor Donovan for a second time.

Most of the pruning done by the budget commission affected new improvements desired by departments this

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LOWELL HEALTH AUTHORITIES UP IN ARMS AGAINST MEDICAL LIBERTY LEAGUE

Local health authorities today are up in arms and severe in their criticism of an agency called the Medical Liberty League, Inc., of 155 Boylston street, Boston, which, through advertisements appearing in Lowell daily papers, cautions parents against the use of the Schick test for the purpose of determining susceptibility to diphtheria, under the caption "Inviting Danger."

Representatives of the Lowell board of health assert this league is a propaganda organization of Bolsheviks and not only is against vaccination as a smallpox preventive, but now that the Schick test has been accepted by leading medical and scientific men in the country as a safe and sure method of determining whether a person is liable to diphtheria germs, it is attempting to undermine its universal usage and poison the minds of parents against it.

Dr. Francis A. Flanagan, director of school hygiene, began to use the Schick test in Lowell last year and has

obtained excellent results in schools and children's homes. If properly applied and if carefully prepared tests are used, no harmful results are apparent, health officers say, and the success attained locally seems to bear out this assertion.

The Schick test does not prevent diphtheria and no claims are set up that it does. It simply determines susceptibility. The test consists of injecting a quantity of diphtheria toxin, amounting to one-fiftieth of a fatal dose for a guinea pig, with the infection not being made under the skin but into it, as near the surface as possible.

If the test shows a person to be susceptible, then it is suggested a tox-in anti-toxin treatment be taken to provide immunity from the disease.

Dr. Pierre Brunelle, chairman of the board of health, in speaking of the Medical Liberty League said its members claim it is harmful to inject any foreign matter into the human body, but added they have never been able to substantiate their claims.

Would Inaugurate President in January

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Norris amendment to the federal constitution, eliminating the present session of an old congress after election of a new congress, and changing the date of inauguration of president from March 4 to the third Monday in January, was approved today by the senate. The resolution embodying the amendment was adopted after brief debate by a vote of 63 to 6. It now goes to the house with approval there before adjournment of congress regarded as problematical.

Britain Challenges U. S. For Davis Cup

LONDON, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press)—Great Britain has cabled a challenge to America for the Davis Cup, the international tennis trophy. Great Britain will compete in the European group of contestants.

IMPORTANT LABOR UNION MEETINGS

Many important labor union meetings are scheduled for this week in various conference quarters in Lowell and surrounding towns, as follows:

There will be a meeting of Sheet Metal Workers' local, No. 49, in Odd Fellows hall, Middlesex street, Thursday night, February 15, beginning at 7 o'clock, for important business. Officers will be elected for the coming year and every member has been asked to attend the "annual."

On the same evening, Thursday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 o'clock, Boston & Maine local No. 312, will meet in Odd Fellows hall at 7:30 o'clock for important business, the announcement says.

The Machine Helpers, No. 972, will also meet in the same building at 7:30 p. m. on the same night.

A monster rally of the members of all the Federated crafts in the Middlesex district, is scheduled for Mathews' hall in North Billerica, tomorrow evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock. Among the principal speakers will be Frank Jennings of Boston, an official representative of the I. A. of M., Edward Mullin, James Armstrong and others.

There will also be a mass meeting of the Federated Crafts of Lowell and immediate vicinity in Odd Fellows hall on Middlesex street, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. This is a highly important meeting, the officers say, and every member is asked to be present.

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AUDITORIUM CUSTODIAN

Collin H. Mackenzie, Heads Eligible List Announced by Civil Service Board

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 13.—The civil service commission today announced an eligible list for the position of custodian of the Lowell Memorial Auditorium, comprising 15 veterans of the World war and headed by Collin H. Mackenzie, now serving temporarily as custodian of the building.

The list follows:
Collin H. Mackenzie, 21 Methuen street.
Harry F. Sullivan, 90 Gates street.
Richard E. Preston, 193 Appleton street.
Walter S. McInerney, 51 School street.
Frank E. Hatchelder, 45 Gates street.
Everett G. Germalin, 160 Andover street.

Robert J. Leith, 3 Goward's place.
George B. Markham, 18 Burns street.
Thomas J. Lynch, 49 Sixth street.
Michael A. Molloy, 435 Central street.
Robert A. Glinvan, 217 Salem street.
John E. Hart, 56 West street.
Hugh L. Garrity, 415 Chelmsford street.

George M. Walsh, 17 Crane's Avenue.
John J. Shields, 120 Bartlett street.

Civil service examination for the position was held on Nov. 29 of last year and an eligible list established. Of 20 men who took the examination, 15 were certified as eligible for permanent appointment.

The appointment of a permanent custodian rests with the Auditorium trustees, who will take action as soon as the eligible list is received from the civil service commission.

Associate hall, Minor-Doyle's, tonight.

LOWELL POST OF AMERICAN LEGION HOLDS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

Speeches by Gen. John H. Sherburne, State Commander William H. Doyle and Rev. William J. Farrell, Former Chaplain With Yankee Division—
"Get Behind the Post" Was the Slogan

"Get behind the Post" was the slogan of the meeting held last night by the local post of the American Legion at the Coburn hall. It was the first get-together of members that has come under the present administration and about 200 men turned out to enjoy themselves.

The visiting speakers were Gen. John H. Sherburne, formerly of the 102nd; State Commander William H. Doyle of the American Legion; and Rev. Wm. J. Farrell of Newton, former chaplain with the Yankee Division and the winner of the D.S.C. for bravery in the service. For an hour and a half Mr. Farrell told story after story of France and the boys who went over there.

At 7 o'clock a banquet was served by "Mess-Sergeant" Harry Cole, and his staff of food providers was kept busy

pay homage to him, not as the man but as the government he represented. The world thought that a great nation, not a nation that depended upon the power of arms, but one which depended upon the power of brains, had come to lead them from the depths they had fallen to. And what happened? We went to sleep. We have been narrow and selfish and now have lost practically all that respect that was given us immediately after the war. We have gone so far as to cast a slight upon those from Germany just when France was endeavoring to make Germany pay what she promised to pay, and I don't think the Legion should stand for it. We must insist that this country make the world as safe as it reasonably can, and we must see to it that we get what we were fighting for five years ago, and I hope the Legion will wake up and put our country as a leader of men, where it belongs."

Raymond Kelly entertained with three songs at the end of Gen. Sherburne's address and was accompanied by Paul Angelo.

Commander Molloy and General Sherburne both were obliged to leave to attend other meetings and Senior Vice-Commander MacDonald took charge of the meeting and introduced the other speakers.

State Commander Doyle State Commander William H. Doyle was then introduced and he spoke to the men of the Legion about the Legion and told them it was about time for them to get together, cut out their petty differences and their talk of what the Legion doesn't do, and get together at the meetings and decide what the Legion shall do. He told of sending out questionnaires to find out what the answer he received in many cases was "lack of interest."

"You must attend two meetings a month," he said. "If your opinion is the opinion of the majority then that opinion rules the meeting. It has been charged that a small clique runs the Legion, that this small clique rules everything. That is true, a small clique, in every post, runs the meetings, and all you have to do to join that clique is to take active interest in the post and work; the small clique you talk of is the clique that does all the work. It is also told of the men who go about to banquets and meetings and tell what the Legion will do and what it should do and who have no authority to say what the Legion is to do and in that way are hurting the organization. In regard to the work of the post he said that it was all laid out.

"We must first take care of the disabled men and must weed out those who are using the Legion to further their own ends. We must stand ready to help men who are financially embarrassed and stop helping those who, although they have received favors from us refuse, when they are financially able, to join the Legion." Mr. Doyle told many instances illustrating the different men that the organization has aided and the way that they have responded to generosity. He also told of the men who, after receiving vocational training in one or two years and the ability to be rehabilitated, come to the officers of the Legion and try to have them use their influence to get them started in a different line of training as they have decided that they chose the wrong course of vocational training at the start.

Commander Doyle, speaking of the preference act as to civil service for veterans, classed it as a "joke." He told the members of the local post to be on hand when Mr. O'Neill comes to Lowell and ask him several pertinent questions as to the working of this act. Following Commander Doyle the



THEY GET ANOTHER TASTE OF RUSSIAN WEATHER

These seven little Russian orphans, who were adopted after the close of the war by Rear Admiral N. A. McCully, U. S. N., and brought to this country, got a real taste of old-time Russian winter weather the other day when the first heavy snow of the year struck Washington. Did they enjoy it? Well, rather!

CHELMSFORD MEETING

Warm Verbal Exchanges at Annual Town Meeting in Chelmsford

Sizzling debates of familiar brand recurrent at more than one annual town meeting in Middlesex county each succeeding year, were the rule yesterday at the round-up of Chelmsford citizens, male and female, in the town hall to discuss town affairs, civic improvement, and also elect officers for the coming year.

A good deal of fiery spirit was exhibited by various able Chelmsford citizen debaters during the afternoon session when the past services of the school superintendent were criticized and defended in the superintendent's absence; the burial of paupers denounced, statements made with reference to the American Legion refuted and the condition of various town roads hotly debated.

The moderator who handled affairs in good style as usual was Walter Perham. The attendance both morning and afternoon was large, with many families voters out to participate in red hot discussions and vote regularly with the men folk.

The debate on the 1922 appropriations was stirring from beginning to end and Accountant Samuel Kershaw was frequently called upon to explain unchronicled details with reference to various important financial town transactions. The question of appropriating \$3,000 for the salary of Roscoe G. Evans, superintendent of schools, was eagerly debated also, many believing \$2,000 an ample salary. Patrick S. Ward ably defended the services of the "Super," and declared that many citizens resented some of the statements made about the superintendent's service when the man himself was not in the hall. Moderator Perham said the point was well taken.

James Danigan strongly supported the record of the superintendent and said he was glad to appear in the official's support. Applause greeted this announcement and then others took the floor in opposition to the superintendent's record, and there was a melee of waving arms and animated figures for several minutes that caused much excitement in the hall and at times threatened to actually break up the meeting. The \$3,000 salary advocates finally won out on the balloting.

The appointment of a school nurse, compulsory by law, was decided upon after the article in the warrant covering the matter was explained. The salary of the nurse will be \$1,500. Mr. Belleville charged that when an inmate of the town farm died and there had been any services, the selectmen acted as hearse. Then the body, he said, was taken to Pine Ridge cemetery, taken from the hearse and "carried to a corner where shrubbery is growing and put into a hole without even being put into a pine box."

Rev. Mr. Bills said the ministers of Chelmsford were glad to do their part and confirmed the statements of the previous speaker. "It is pitiful, I think, to dump our paupers into the ground," the pastor said. The voters were told later that the body of a town pauper was not interred without a plain coffin, but that the coffin was not enclosed in the usual pine box.

The question of allowing the Chelmsford American Legion the free use of the town hall to play basketball, caused another warm discussion. It was claimed that at one game previously held in the hall and in which Legionnaires took part, the hall interior had been somewhat damaged during the progress of the sport. Legion members insisted that they had offered to pay for the repairs required, but their offer had been turned down.

Priorities were in order, also, when article 23 came up for an appropriation for constructing a concrete walk along the street lines of the Princeton school house and the town hall at North Chelmsford. Pastor Jenkins declared the sidewalk an eyesore and a "disgrace." Immediately after that \$1,400

members were entertained by Jack McArdle, who sang several songs and recited a piece that proved very interesting. And then Arthur Moran and Jim Gleason staged a tin cup fight in which the tin cups were seriously injured but the fighters were unscathed. A few words to the appeal of State Commander Doyle were added by Past Commander Garrity and he asked every member to get behind the present commander and make this year a banner year for the Legion.

The Former Chaplain

Rev. Fr. Farrell was the last speaker and his remarks kept those present on their toes all the time. He told the men to attend the meetings and to get out in uniform at public occasions, especially Memorial Day, to take this day up where the veterans of the Civil war were leaving off, and to make it one of the big functions of the Legion. Fr. Farrell then told stories concerning his life overseas and kept the men laughing and applauding at every anecdote. He told stories for an hour and a half and the men would willingly have remained longer to hear him. Commander Molloy had returned to the meeting prior to Fr. Farrell's talk and he took charge again and adjourned the meeting at 10 o'clock.

was appropriated to have the sidewalk complained of repaired this year.

Action on the various town warrants and appropriations were as follows:

Article 1—To hear the reports of town officers and committee; or act in relation thereof. The sum of \$10 was voted to the moderator for his services.

Article 2—To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray town charges for the current year.

The following appropriations were passed:

Legislative: Moderator's salary, \$10.

Executive: Selectmen's salaries and maintenance, \$750.

Town clerk and accountant salaries, maintenance, etc., \$1396.

Collector and treasurer: Salaries, maintenance and bond, \$1745.

Assessors: Salaries, maintenance and transportation, \$1150.

Law department: Town counsel \$300.

Election and registration: Registrar, election officers and other expenses, \$325.

Appraisers: Salaries and maintenance, \$18.

Public buildings: \$2125.

Public protection: Police department, water department, fire department, moth department, animal inspection, etc., \$16,700.

Poor department, \$3640.

Soldiers' benefits, \$500.

Highways, \$30,375.

Schools, \$3200.

School department, \$94,500, and for vocational school, \$2200 plus the 1922 dog tax.

Cemeteries, \$1605.

General, \$2446.

Appropriated for street lights, over-

sight, grading North Chelmsford common and dedicating the monument at the same common, \$1531.70.

The amount of \$20,000 was also voted to be used by the assessors out of the excess deficiency fund.

The warrants were in brief as follows:

Article 3—To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits. Passed.

Article 4—To see if the town will authorize the treasurer with approval of the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current year. Passed.

Article 5—To see if the town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the treasurer; \$2418.45. Voted.

Article 6—To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$550 for state aid. Passed.

Article 7—To see if the town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the treasurer a sum not exceeding \$5000 to be used as a reserve fund \$1000 voted.

Article 8—To see if the town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the treasurer, \$78.50 to reimburse the North Chelmsford fire department for accident damage to a hydrant. Passed.

Article 9—To see if the town will vote to appropriate from money already in the hands of the treasurer, \$200 to build retaining wall at West Chelmsford school grounds. Passed with the

provision that the selectmen proceed to collect back salaries paid officers in 1921.

Article 11—To see if the town will vote to adopt resolutions upon the death of Justin L. Moore. Passed.

Article 12—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$100 to be expended by a director in co-operation with the county agricultural trustees of Middlesex county. Dismissed.

Article 14—If the town will vote to borrow sum not exceeding \$7600 to continue the construction of Boston road. Voted to borrow \$6000.

Article 15—To borrow sum not exceeding \$6000 to continue the construction of Gorton road—\$6000. Voted.

Article 16—If the town will appoint a committee to consider and report at a special town meeting to be held not later than April 15, 1923, to apply to the legislature authorizing the limiting of the town meetings. A committee was appointed.

Article 17—To see what action town will take relative to new contract with the Lowell Electric Light Corp. Voted to petition to public utilities department to fix the price.

Article 18—Dealing with contract with Lowell Electric Light corporation. Dismissed.

Article 19—With reference to appropriating additional money for electric lights. Dismissed automatically through non-appearance of preceding acts.

Article 20—If the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the widening of Smith street—\$400 voted.

Article 21—If the town will appropriate section 6 of chapter 113 of the general laws relative to fire prevention. Passed.

Article 22—If the town will vote to give Chelmsford Post, 212, American Legion, permission to use the North Chelmsford town hall to play basketball. Two aird votes taken, the chair being undecided, a vote was taken by means of count which resulted in 77 ayes and 74 affirmatives.

Article 23—If the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1400 for concrete walk along the street lines of the Princeton street high school and town hall at North Chelmsford—\$1400 voted.

Article 24—If the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500 for establishment and maintaining sidewalks—Dismissed.

Article 25—If the town will authorize the school committee to sell or exchange one of the two school barges—Not passed.

Article 26—Relating to school barge, automatically goes off with the non-passage of Article 25.

Article 27—If the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000 to complete grading of baseball field of the high school, Chelmsford Centre—Dismissed.

Article 28—If the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000 to grade the playground at Highland avenue school, North Chelmsford—\$1000 voted.

WOMEN GOLFERS

TO PLAY OFF TIE

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 13—A tie score of 32 between Miss Glenna Collett, national woman golf champion, and Miss Dorothy Klotz of Chicago, will be played off this week, but the day had not been announced today.

DOES NOT HAVE TO TAKE PHYSIC

"Fruit-a-lives" Brought Complete Relief

ASHROD, N.Y. **I tried several kinds of physic for over three years and, of course, while I took it every night my bowels would move; but as soon as I stopped taking physic, I would be Constipated and would have Piles terribly.** I bought one box of "Fruit-a-lives" and took them. Now I am not troubled any more with Constipation or Piles. "Fruit-a-lives" or "Fruit-Lax Tablets" left no after-effects and now I do not have to use physic."

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They tied for first place in the quelling of the "Fruit-a-lives" and also in the golf tournament at the Palm Beach Golf club yesterday.

Miss Collett recently was defeated by one stroke by Mrs. Capozzi. Now a golfer more than 60 years old, in a match at Bellair Heights, Fla. Their scores were 79 and 80.

After appearing in "The Heggars Opera" 305 times, one of the actors recently forgot his lines, at the 95th performance.

Camden Man's Amazing Message to Rheumatics

After Suffering Intense Agony for Many Years—He Wants to Tell Others.

Dr. Briggall: I simply had to write and tell you what your wonderful Camphorole has done for me. For many years I suffered the tortures of Rheumatism as only those who have it know. At the same time I had a terrible itch and, covered with sores, the sharp pains were so severe, I could not sleep. I had to get up and rub and scratch. I almost drove me crazy. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine I was told to take, which only left me worse. I could not bend my knees. I am a steam fitter by trade and had to give up my work. Seeing your advertisement in a paper, I thought I would take another chance and told my daughter to get me a package of Camphorole. You can imagine my surprise after using Camphorole, I started to get better right away. After using two jars of Camphorole, I am well and happy and have gone back to work. I shall never forget the day I took a chance on Camphorole. After all the years I suffered, it felt good to be well again. Robert W. Tremble, 5917 High St., Camden, N.J.

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VERMONT BEAUTIFUL

By Wallace Nutting

Illustrated by the author with three hundred and four photographs covering all the country in Vermont.

WESTWARD HOBOES

By Winifred Trawbridge Dixon

Westward Hoboes offers a new sensation to the traveler by the "arm chair write." The two Boston girls whose narrative this is, shipped their automobile to Galveston and from there motored up through the Rio Grande country and eventually north through the Rockies and home by the way of the northern states.

ETIQUETTE

The Blue Book of Social Usage

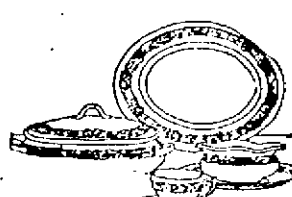
By Emily Post

This complete work on polite conduct and everyday ethics is written by a woman whose authority on the subject is beyond dispute to be explained, from the selection of visiting cards to the mystery of eating corn on the cob.

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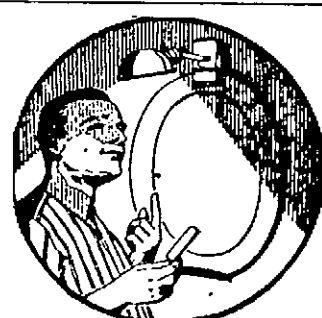
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Their Wedding Journey

By Dorothy Dean

Dearest Juliet:—Here I am, wonderful to relate, in a sheltered corner of the wide veranda of the hotel, writing to you in far off America. To think of it! I can hardly realize that I am in Cairo. Egypt, until I took down into the street swimming with tall Arab harem white-headed coverings, oriental fashion, and over yonder the gleaming walls of the historic Nile, the crimson sails of the fisher boats, the private yachts and Dahabiyehs all make me feel as if I were dreaming. I think of all sorts of impossible things and wonder if that splendid looking Arab I saw looking at me last night at the dance is a Sheikh and wants to carry me off. I wore a gown I bought in Paris, rose panne velvet with silver embroidery and a wonderful pearl necklace, and as I came down the stairs Tom stood waiting for me with a college friend he had met unexpectedly, when I chanced to look across at the open window and there was the same Arab looking at me, but Tom says I was the loveliest woman there and he doesn't wonder the man was smitten, and I feel quite safe with my hubby to protect me anyway. And to think that all this happiness is due to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery that you recommended!

You remember two years ago what

a frightful complexion I had? My face covered with pimples and blotches and I had frequent headaches and stomach trouble. I was ashamed to go anywhere, and how just two bottles of that marvelous medicine effected a complete cure so that when I went to this little house party and met Tom, my skin was clear and as smooth as satin, and I don't need rouge. Tom says the roses are in my cheeks. So now that I have told you all about myself must close as we are going to visit the friends, and there is Tom coming for me!

Love ever—MABEL.

Here's another letter:
Kingston, Mass. "Three years ago my wife was feeling very poorly. I put her on a diet, gave her four bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and it soon made a new woman of her. I very emphatically recommend this remedy to all who need a good toning up throughout the entire system."—E. Francis Gould, 29 Pond st.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is sold by all druggists in liquid or tablet form, or send 10c for trial sample to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y.—Adv.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



GOOD BUSINESS AHEAD

Massachusetts Manufacturers
Expend Over \$20,000,000
in Additions and Machinery

According to statistics compiled by George H. Conroy, publicity secretary of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, more than \$20,000,000 were expended by Massachusetts manufacturers in the calendar year 1922. In addition to plants and in the purchase of new machinery. As a result of these expenditures, 11,377 additional workers are employed and 3,733,895 square feet have been added to plant facilities.

In Lowell, according to the figures, 43,825 additional square feet have been added to plant facilities and 350 additional employees given work. The approximate cost of the new buildings and machinery here is given as \$161,400. Andover, with \$25,000 additional square feet of property at a cost of \$2,308,800 stands first in the list of 75 cities quoted in Mr. Conroy's list.

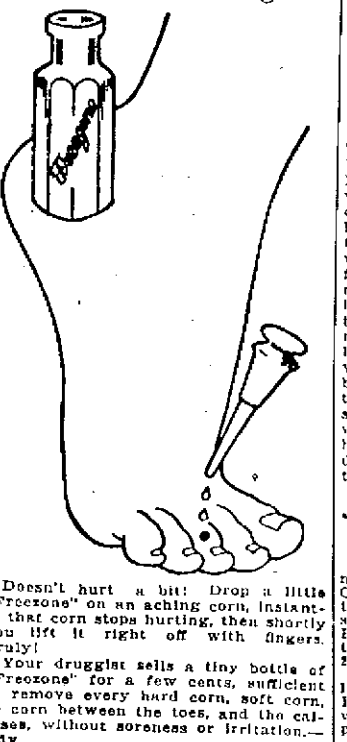
O.M.I. CADET NOTES
There will be a meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets at the Cadet armory next Tuesday, at 7.30. All those interested in the coming prize drill will kindly report to Instructor Gargan. All the annual will meet on the following Thursday evening at the same time.

Don't forget the membership drive is on and we expect to have 500 members by the first of June. The coming musical show is in rapid progress.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER
John A. Simpson has purchased from David Miller the two tenement block and six garages located on a large track of land at the corner of Westford and Pine streets.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home
Mix no equal for prompt results. Takes but a moment to prepare, and saves you about \$2.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest. Pine is famous for this purpose.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make a full pint—more than you can buy ready-made for three times the money. It is pure, good and very pleasant—children take it eagerly.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—inflamed membranes—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs.

Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

COMBAT TRAIN INSPECTION TONIGHT
The local military combat train will be inspected at the armory, the date having been changed from a week later as first scheduled. The sudden change in the inspection date and program of visitation by inspection officers necessitated hurry calls being sent out today to all members of the train to be present for the night's inspection and armory parade. Many citizens of the city and surrounding towns will want to attend and enjoy the inspection ceremonies and see the drill work performed by expert soldiers of the volunteer line.

All equipment issued to members must be turned in for inspection tonight and all members are urged to bring equipment early, as the meeting in set for seven o'clock and the inspection start promptly. The inspection program start promptly. The inspecting officer will be Major Hopkins.

JOINT MEETING IN LIBERTY HALL
The Kimball System, Inc. will celebrate its twentieth anniversary on next Thursday and will join in an observance of the event with the Lowell Advertising club at a meeting in Liberty hall on that evening.

Following the supper, talks will be given on advertising by Mr. Irving Bromley of the O. J. Guide company of New York, who personally originated the "open-book historical road-sign bulletins," and J. O. Halliday, another well known advertising man. After the speaking a number of surprises will be sprung and an exhibition of Russian dancing will be given by Berghoff Yessenitzki, a famous dancer and contortionist.

LADY FRANKLIN COUNCIL
Councillor Lilla Cooper occupied the chair at last evening's meeting of Lady Franklin council, 17. Sons and Daughters of Liberty, which was held in Highland hall. Routine business was transacted and at the close of the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed during which a paper on the life of Abraham Lincoln was read by Sister McIntosh. Refreshments were served by Sister Mary Foster, Sister Pascale, Sister Hubbard, Sister Butler and Sister Myrtle Foster. In the afternoon, whilst was played by the members.



MOSUL, STORM CENTRE OF ENGLISH-TURK DISPUTE
Fight for control of the valuable oil wells in this district has been the cause of the breaking up of the Lausanne conference. Turk Nationalists refuse to permit English control of this territory. Above is shown the main street of Mosul.

PRES. HARDING PAYS TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The supreme gift of Abraham Lincoln was not in construction, but rather in preservation. President Harding declared in an address last night at a Lincoln memorial dinner tendered by friends of Lincoln Memorial university of Cumberland Gap, Tennessee.

"Humanity itself," the president declared, "needs to drink of the cup of unfailing confidence which enabled him to stand erect and unshaken amid discouragement and criticism which would have crushed any less than a master heart and soul."

"No human story surpasses the fascination and the inspiration that of Abraham Lincoln. The republic pays tribute tonight, and most of the world is doing him reverence, because in his unshaken faith the world finds its own hope mightily strengthened."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NIGHT AT ARMORY

"Chamber of Commerce Night" will be observed at the state armory on Westford street, this evening, when Battery B officers and battymen will entertain officials and members of the Lowell organization with a luncheon at 2.30 and a formal reception at 5 o'clock. The business men will be invited to inspect the armory from basement to "attic." After the round of the armory, the guests will be assembled by Bugler Coleman in the main hall and battery drills and mounted and dismounted action will be in order for the edification of the visitors. Following drills there will be wrestling and boxing bouts, and the final number will be a Cape Cod scene sure to make a hit with Lowell visitors who are guests of the crack battymen at their summer camp down in Barnstable on the cape, last training season.

JOIE RAY TO AGAIN VISIT HUB

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Joie Ray, the mile running marvel of the Illinois A.C., will make one more appearance in this city before the indoor track season closes. It was announced today. He has entered for the Boston mile at the American Legion games here Feb. 22.

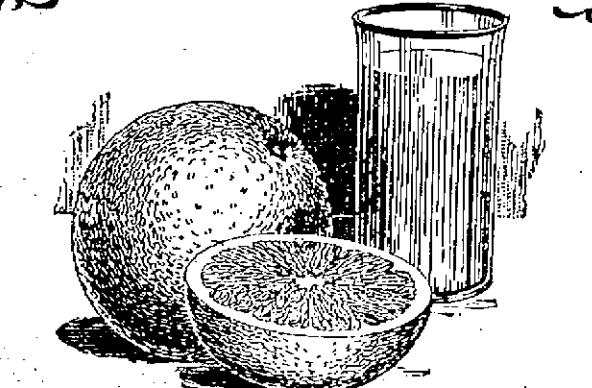
The Illinois A.C. already holds two legs on the Boston mile trophy through Ray's previous victories and if Ray wins this year, the cup becomes the property of the club.

Little Bitola, 16 mile and cross country champion, who defeated Ray in the 15 mile event in New York last night has entered for the third mile invitation race at the Legion meet. His partner will be his clubmate, E. Elin of the Finnish-American A.C. of New York.

STRAITFORDS DANCE TONIGHT
The Straitforde will hold a dancing party at the Highland club tonight and a large attendance is expected. The committee has arranged a most attractive program and has secured a fine orchestra of Lawrence to furnish music. Through an error the advertisement sent to the papers for today, appeared in last night's paper. Hence some confusion was caused. But the party is on for tonight and all those who attend are assured of an enjoyable time.



NOTED HUNTSWOMAN TO WED
Lady Doris Blackwood, known for her prowess on the hunting field, is to wed Captain Cecil Gunstan in London in the fall. She is a daughter of the late Marquis of Dufferin and Ava and of the present Lady Howe. Her grandfather was John Davis of New York.



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Huckleberries an inch in diameter and almost as large as plums have been perfected by Dr. J. C. Hutchins of the department of agriculture at Washington. He has been experimenting with the development of wild huckleberries for years.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah Green (sometimes called Sarah A. Green, late of Lowell) in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the undersigned at or before the expiration of the term of said estate.

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Dull pains in the back, often under the shoulder blades, poor digestion, heartburn, flatulency, sour eructs, pain or uneasiness after eating, yellow skin, mean liver trouble—and you should take

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They correct all tendency to liver trouble, relieve the most stubborn cases, and give strength and tone to liver, stomach and bowels.

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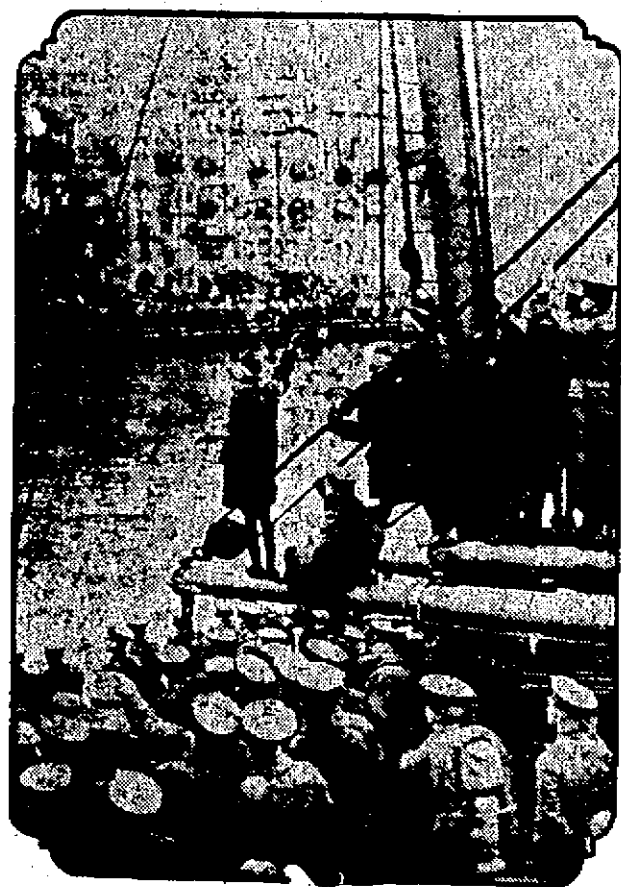
IF SICK, TAKE "CASCARETS"

Clean Your Bowels! End Headache, Biliousness, Colds, Dizziness, Sour, Gassy Stomach

To clean out your bowels without cramping or overacting, take Cascarets at night, the bowels work wonderfully in morning.

Cascarets never sicken or inconvenience you next day like pills, calomel, salts or oil.

Children love Cascarets too. 10 cent boxes, also 25 and 50 cent sizes. Any drugstore.—Adv.



ST. MIHIEL ARRIVES IN SAVANNAH

Thousands of spectators lined the banks of Savannah harbor when the U. S. Transport St. Mihiel arrived with the last contingent of doughboys from the Rhine.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



"RED" SCARES WERE INVENTED

Self-Confessed Spy Says Detective Agencies Urged Radicals to Violence

Ex-Employee of Burns, Thiel and Others, Creates Sensation at Communists' Trial

Scares Invented to Assist in Collection of Large Sums From Bankers, Etc.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—An amazing story of intrigue and deception was unfolded yesterday when Frank P. Walsh, attorney for 22 communists facing trial at St. Joseph, Mich., took the deposition of Albert Ballin, alias Balanow, self-confessed spy and agent-provocateur.

By Balanow's testimony Mr. Walsh is seeking to show that radical organizations and "red" scares were invented to assist them in collecting large sums from banking and other interests for the purpose of investigating an imaginary radical menace.

Balanow, in a story that ranged from sordid details of double-crossing and the double-double cross to high comedy, swore he had worked for the W. J. Burns and the Thiel detective agencies at the same time as an expert on radical questions; that he had sold the secret reports of the Thiel agency to the Burns agency; that an official of the Burns agency had picked his pocket and appropriated other Thiel reports; and that Allen O. Meyers, head of the radical bureau of the Burns agency had proposed that he make bombs and get well known radicals to throw them, so Burns' men could arrest the radicals.

Balanow swore that as an operative of the Thiel agency in 1917 he had been assigned to join the Cigar Makers' union as an agent-provocateur during a strike and was instructed to urge the strikers to break windows and commit other violence. His instructions, he said, came from Michael Flannigan, general manager of the agency, who, he said, told him to "always show radical side, be so extreme that they will have confidence in you."

Flannigan, he said, told him that Sal Lazor, president of the La Guardia Cigar Co., was furnishing \$100,000 to break the cigar workers' union. Shortly after he suggested window breaking to Charles Winfield, business agent of the union, Balanow testified, 200 or 300 windows were broken, and later he discovered that Winfield was a Thiel operative also.

out of his pocket and refused to give it back.

Cooney, of the Thiel agency, he said, invented the "Knights of the Red Star" and gave him a copy of its alleged manifesto, which described the organization as the most dangerous revolutionary organization in the United States.

Cooney admitted, he said, that no such group existed but explained it was necessary to have evidence of it to show Alfred Austrian, attorney for J. Edgar Hoover and other Chicago packers, so the packers would put up money to keep the radical hunt going.

He also swore that Cooney had faked reports, alleged to have been made by Balanow and had turned the report of a meeting of the textile workers of the I.W.W. into a secret conference of "Knights of the Red Star."

Later, Balanow said, he went to work for Burns again and gave him all the Thiel papers, including copies of the alleged membership list and reports, but advised him not to copy them because they were "imaginary stories."

"W. J. Burns," he said, replied "that's all the detective business is—imaginary stories."

Taking of the deposition and cross-examination of the witness is expected to take several days.

LOWELL GUILD COUNCIL MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Lowell guild council of district nursing, was held yesterday at the Guild's home, 17 Dutton street, with Mrs. William Robertson, president, in the chair. Routine business was transacted and the following report submitted for the month of January:

Distric—Old cases carried forward 153; new cases, 205; total, 358. Dismissed cases, 220; carried cases, 129; total, 358. Old Metropolitan cases, 53; new Metropolitan cases, 117; total, 210. Nursing visits, 1299; instructive visits, 32; miscellaneous visits, 10; prenatal visits, 37; total, 1379.

Nationalities of new patients—Americans, 119; Canadians, 25; Irish, 16; Greek, 12; French, 10; others, 17; total, 209.

Baby hygiene—Number of babies carried forward, 286; new babies, 31; babies readmitted, 1; total 388. Dismissed for non-attendance, 2; dismissed for moving, 23; dismissed for non-cooperation, 1; dismissed because of death, 5; total, 31. Number of babies carried forward—Breast fed babies, 326; formula fed babies, 359; mixed fed babies, 172; total, 857. Number of home visits, 882.

A crowd of 1,000,000 persons, not too closely packed for comfort, would cover 19 acres.

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Washington, D. C.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation which a physician said I would have to have for a very bad case of female trouble. My system was all run down for two years after my little girl was born. Then I read of your wonderful medicine and decided to try it. I could hardly drag one foot after the other, and after taking six bottles of the Vegetable Compound I felt like a new woman. I now do all my housework, also washing and ironing, and do not know what real trouble is. My health is fine, and I weigh 140 pounds. When I started taking it I weighed 97 pounds. I gladly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any one who is suffering from female trouble or is run down. You may use this testimonial for I am only too glad to let suffering women know what the Vegetable Compound did for me."—Mrs. Ida Hewitt, 1521 Penna. Ave. S. E., Washington, D. C.

Such letters from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY PROBES RACIAL CLASH

BRONSON, Fla., Feb. 13.—The investigation into the clash at Itasca, near here by special grand jury impaneled here yesterday was expected to last through the week, Judge A. V. Long, presiding over the eighth judicial circuit court, said today.

The inquisitorial body was charged yesterday by Judge Long, but examination of witnesses was postponed until today because of the failure of Georges Decolles, prosecuting attorney, to arrive.

The official investigation is the outgrowth of racial trouble in the Rosewood section several weeks ago in which six negroes and two white men were killed.

WORLD'S YOUNGEST LICENSED PREACHER

GREENVILLE, Tex., Feb. 13.—Mayo Cleveland, eight years old, so far as known here, is the world's youngest licensed preacher.

Mayo delivered his first sermon to a large congregation at the Kings-town Baptist church Sunday. Baptized about three weeks ago, he expressed desire to become a duly ordained minister. His request was granted.

Bats, to avoid collision with obstacles when flying, emit a vibrating note, inaudible to human ears, which reacts on meeting an obstruction, warning the bat to turn out.

"KNICKER PARTY" AT THE KASINO

The "Knicker parties" at the popular indoor roller-skating rink in the comfortable and attractive Kasino, are becoming the "talk of the day." The "No. 1" party last Thursday evening, convinced the management that the world of knickerbockers in and about Lowell needs no further embellishment for variety, up-to-dateness and general beauty.

Convinced that "Knicker parties" at the Kasino are popular enough to be repeated at least once each week, the management announces today that another one of the entertaining novelty programs will be given this week, Thursday evening, at the Thorndike street amusement hall.

The prizes for this week's roller-skating carnival will be a "new series" of the original and expensive kewpie dolls, popular at all winter entertainment events where both sexes mingle and enjoy themselves to the strains of good music.

SPANISH AMERICAN WAR VETERANS

Gen. Gardner W. Pearson was the principal speaker at last evening's meeting of the Spanish American War veterans, which was held in Memorial hall. The general spoke reminiscently on the Spanish-American war in which he participated and his remarks were listened to with great interest. Commander John W. Gannous of Newton also addressed the gathering. The evening's program was presided over by Major Walter R. Joyce.



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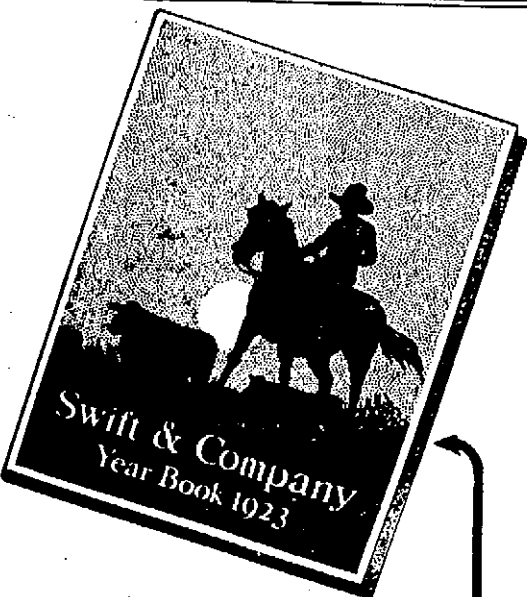
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THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Important Business Discussed at Board of Directors' Meeting

Fire Prevention Committee Chairman, Reports on Fire Alarm System

Pelham Residents Disturbed Over Proposed Discontinuation of Street Car Line

The board of directors of the chamber of commerce held their regular weekly meeting this noon in their quarters in the Fairbairn building, with thirteen of the directors present.

Frederic C. Church, Jr., chairman of the fire prevention committee, reported on the fire alarm system. The board of directors have made no recommendations but authorized the committee or some of the members of the committee, to visit cities that have a manually operated system to get the information they can to find out just what is needed here.

A communication was read from the Lowell Kennel club asking the directors' endorsement of the A.K.C. dog show which they are to put on in May and the directors voted to endorse it and will encourage its support by members of the chamber.

The Northeastern Massachusetts Street Railway company has asked permission of state authorities to discontinue the line between Lowell and Pelham, as it does not pay expenses. Several Pelham residents have asked the chamber of commerce to see what it could do to prevent this, and at today's meeting it was voted to have the secretary attend the meeting, when it is held, to give any advice that he can.

A committee of three members was appointed to co-operate with the Seaboard at the hearing to be held soon at city hall in regard to plans for extending their plant.

The directors voted to take up the matter of switching charges between the Boston & Maine railroad and the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to find out if these charges cannot be done away with as has already been done in Framingham and Worcester. At the present time there is a charge of 60c for each car changed over from the tracks of one road to the other, and the chamber feels that this is added to shippers and to those who must have their goods come in over the two roads.

The directors also went on record as being in favor of the congressional bill placing the Cape Cod canal under government control.

EDISON KICKS OVER HIS HEAD

Wizard at 76 Proves His Assertion That He is Still Young

Offered U. S. Navy 45 Inventions—Every One of Them Turned Down

Gives Views on Coues, Newspapers, Flappers and Prohibition

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 12.—Thomas A. Edison today declared he had offered the navy 45 inventions since he had been president of the naval consulting board, but that every one of them had been turned down.

"Navy officers seem to resent ideas for the betterment of the navy rather than to welcome them," he said.

The occasion was the electrical wizard's annual birthday interview with news writers. He was seventy-six years old yesterday.

Edison began the interview, in his laboratory office, by kicking over his head to prove his assertion that he was still young.

"I am doing more work than ever," he said, "I am interesting myself in business theories as well as mechanical and electrical construction. But I am not spending a fortune on business. As soon as I see a scheme is no good, I discard it."

Mr. Edison jumped nimbly from inventions to politics and readily from politics to flappers, education and prohibition.

"College men," he said, "don't know what is going on. They are too dense. Newspapers are a great force and the college boys overlook them."

"If I had a paper, I'd put more popular science into it. I'd make the candidates for jobs fill out a questionnaire to see if they knew anything. I'd want men with imagination. Imagination is a scarce article."

"Does Coues do any good?" he was asked.

"Yes, I can find something to him. I don't think he's a fake. He seems to be in earnest."

"What do you think of prohibition?"

"Solve America," he said, "in both hands. 'I'm for it by all means. I know prohibition is a failure in the cities but when wood alcohol kills off all the old snobs prohibition will have its day. The boys and girls of the next generation won't have any taste for the damned stuff."

"What's good in the field of invention?"

"The helicopter—the heavier-than-air machine that goes straight up. James Gordon Bennett once gave me \$1000 to experiment with one. I made a machine that only weighed 30 pounds, but it did not do the trick. I scowled my hands and burned most of the hair of my head trying to perfect it, but I didn't. There is a great commercial field for the helicopter."

WIRE INSPECTOR CALLS FOR NEGRO VETERANS

City Hall "Firetrap"

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MONSIGNOR BERNARDINI TALKS ON MEXICO

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia, arrived today on the steamer Megantic from a cruise to the West Indies.

Cardinal Dougherty was accompanied by his secretary, Monsignor Philip Bernardini, nephew of Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state and professor of canon law in the Catholic university at Washington.

Monsignor Bernardini informed that Monsignor Philipp, papal delegate to Mexico, who was expelled from Mexico recently had returned to Europe, said the situation in Mexico was "very unfortunate."

"President Obregon," he continued, "is unduly influenced by powers hostile to Catholicism. For surely the mere officiating of Monsignor Philipp at the laying of a corner stone would not be sufficient cause for his expulsion."

GRAND JURY RETURNS MORE INDICTMENTS

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—The Suffolk county grand jury, which returned a number of secret indictments on Saturday, returned several more today and then was excused until the first Monday in March.

District Attorney O'Brien said that reports that the grand jury was considering at present evidence obtained by the finance commission, regarding the vote of the Boston city council to buy a synagogue in the north end for a playground site, were unauthorized.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12.—Besides announcing a grant of \$2,000,000 to Johns Hopkins university from the Carnegie corporation of New York (not \$5,000,000 as previously reported) President Frank J. Goodnow of Hopkins, will tell of a conditional gift of \$500,000 from an anonymous donor at the annual meeting of the university.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 12.—Major J. C. Thorne of this city has received word that he has been left a manor in Germany of Herr Gartner, whose grandson was saved from death under a train in Telpitz by Major Thorne, while a prisoner.

EARL OF DENBIGH AND MISS EMMET MARRIED

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The wedding of the Earl of Denbigh, and Miss Kathleen Emmet, daughter of late Dr. Thomas Addison Emmet of New York, took place in the crypt of the chapel of Westminster cathedral this morning.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Cardinal Bourne, who also performed the wedding ceremony.

The engagement of the Earl and Miss Emmet was announced January 24.

REARGUMENTS IN FISH TRUST CASES

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—F. Monroe Dyer, and his 16 fellow-defendants, several of the men of financial and legal prominence, convicted of conspiracy in the fish trust cases heard several years ago, obtained another respite from sentence today when the supreme court announced that rearguments would be heard at the March sitting. The cases were to have come up for sentence next Saturday.

Slayer of Widow Hangs Himself

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 12.—Frank Pazyeh, who had confessed to the murder of Mrs. Mary Placata, a widow, to whom he was paying attention, hanged himself in his jail cell today. He used a rope made of his clothing.

Kemal Pasha Arrives at Smyrna

SMYRNA, Feb. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Mustafa Kemal Pasha, Turkish national leader, has arrived here. Galata prevails throughout the city. No additional warships have entered the Ismid or Smyrna harbors.

Senate Orders Probe of Veterans' Bureau

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—An investigation of charges of irregularities, waste and extravagance in the veterans' bureau was ordered today by the senate.

Hard Coal Workers Strike—8000 Idle

LANSDOWN, Pa., Feb. 12.—Eight thousand men were idle today by a general strike of the anthracite mine workers employed by the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co., in the Panther Creek valley. The strike was the outcome of a grievance filed by the platform men at No. 8 colliery demanding additional help which was not granted by the company. The coal mined by the company is shipped in all directions. The daily average production amounts to about 14,000 tons.

Bandits Plotting \$70,000 Hold-up Trapped

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—Discovery by the police of a plan to hold up cashiers of the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co., supposed to be carrying \$70,000 today caused the capture of three bandits in a trap set for them. The bandits held up the cashiers, discovered the money bag contained only paper and then found themselves surrounded by detectives.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ON VANDERBILT ESTATE

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 12.—Mr. William H. Vanderbilt, just before starting on his trip around the world signed a contract for a high pressure water system which will cost about \$50,000 for the Vanderbilt Farm. Mr. Vanderbilt's personal enthusiasm in the development of his estate is shown in the fact that the plans call for a key in his quarters by which he can control the fire pump and a transmitter whereby he can send in a call to any part of the estate or for districts in the town of Portsmouth.

MRS. NOLAN MEMBER OF NATIONAL HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Mrs. May Ellen Nolan, of San Francisco became a member of the house of representatives today, taking the oath of office as successor to her late husband, John I. Nolan. She is the third woman member of the present congress, but her election also was to the next house, of which she is now the only woman member-elect.

Miss Alice Robertson of Oklahoma and Mrs. Winifred Mason, both of Illinois, will retire with the ending of this session. Mrs. Nolan said she would repay the confidence shown in her by "cheerful and untiring service."

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POSSE FINDS CAP AND GLOVE OF MISSING BOY

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SEEKS VILLA FOR ROYAL BRIDE

TURIN, Italy, Feb. 12. (By the Associated Press).—Count Caviglioli Beroglio is seeking to engage a villa at Pinerolo, in Piedmont, to which to take his royal bride after his marriage to Princess Yolanda. This is significant of the count's reported intention not to allow his alliance with the royal family to interfere with his work as instructor in the cavalry school at Pinerolo, which is one of the best in Europe.

FOR N. E. BASEBALL LEAGUE

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—A meeting to advance plans for the proposed revival of the New England League of Baseball clubs was held at the Hotel Lenox here today.

S. L. Kinsman of Lawrence, who formerly managed teams in several of the cities that may be included in the circuit, presided. With him sat representatives of the interests in six cities that are considering application for franchises in the league, if it is revived.

HOW TO KEEP WELL ALL WINTER

THIS is the time when you hear people say, "There's lots of sickness this winter."

It's not the fault of the weather; winter should be the healthiest time of the year. But you should make sure your blood is rich and pure, and your entire system in perfect condition.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan, taken now, will help keep you well all winter. It will enrich your blood and tone up your entire system. Your druggist has it—liquid or tablets, as you prefer.

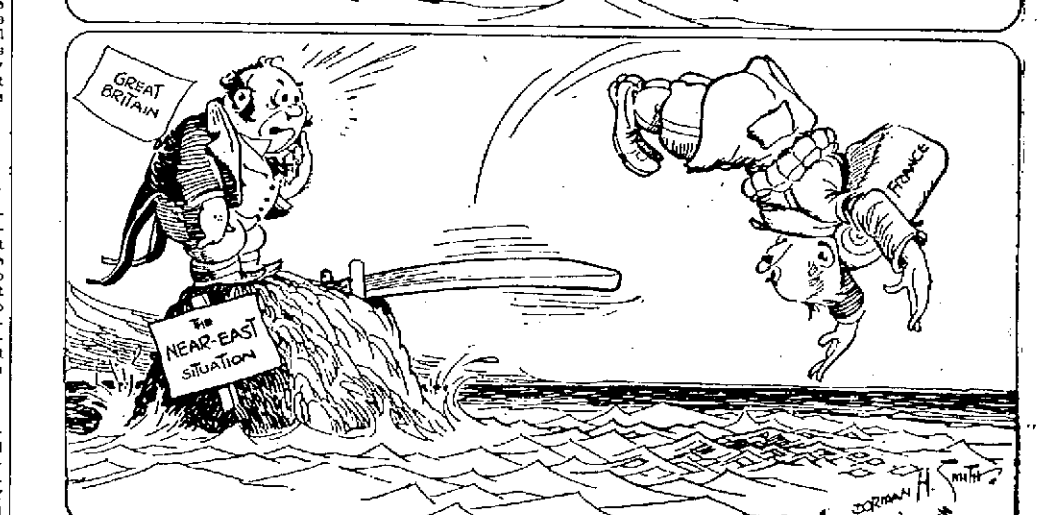
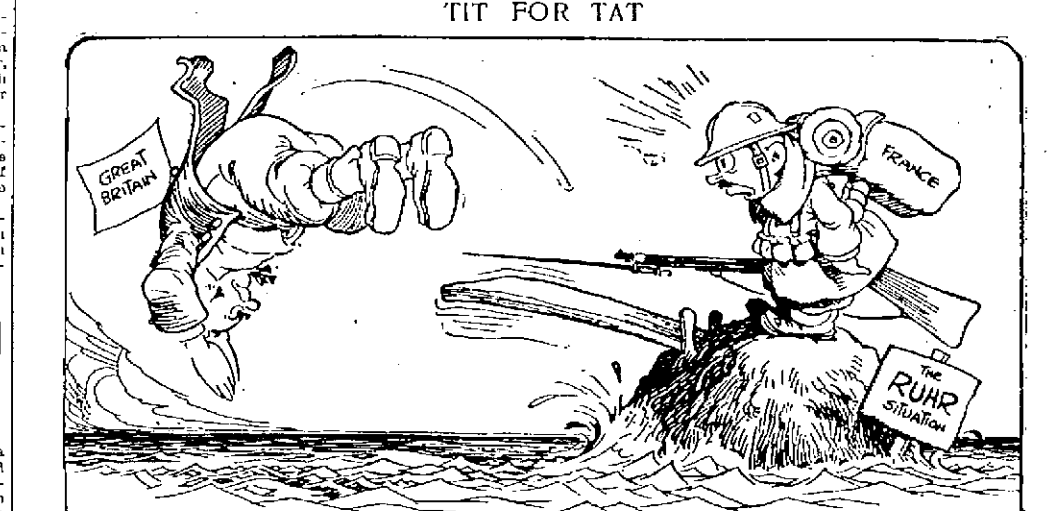
Gude's Pepto-Mangan
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GARGLE THROAT WITH ASPIRIN

Clip This and Save if Subject to Sore Throat or Tonsillitis

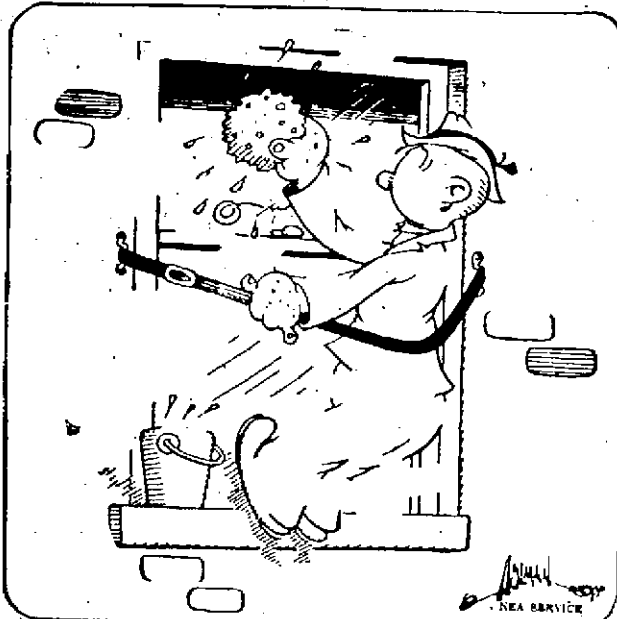
Prepare a harmless and effective gargle by dissolving two Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in four tablespoons of water. Gargle throat thoroughly. Repeat in two hours if necessary.

Be sure you use only the genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin, marked with the Bayer Cross, which can be had in tin boxes of twelve tablets for a few cents.—Adv.



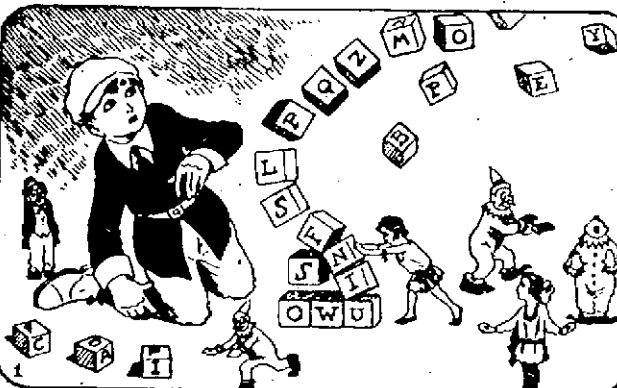
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Drawings by Bill Holman Verses by Hal Cochran
Draw in the minutes, then color the picture

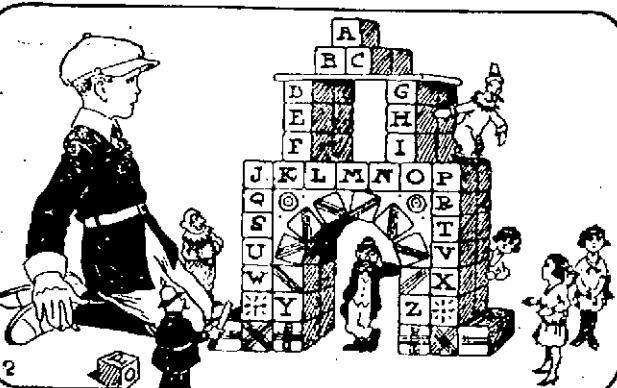


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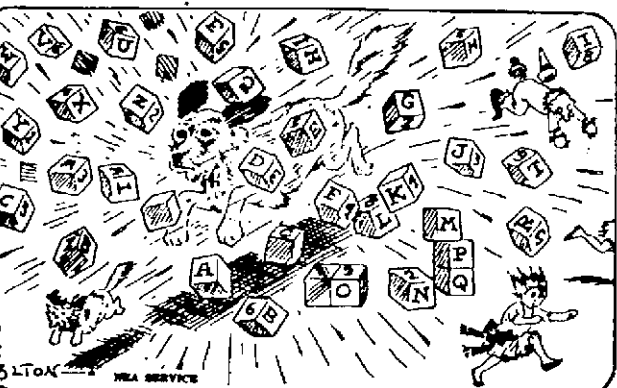
Chapter 12



In a few moments there were at least a dozen blocks towering up into the air. Jack thought he would get the pile twice that high when, all of a sudden, a wee little baby doll rushed up and gave the stack a push. There was a loud rattle as the blocks crashed down and all the dolls laughed.



Jack thought that it was foolish to build the blocks up only to have them knocked down, but when the policeman doll explained that that was the only real fun the babies had with the blocks, he again started a tall tower. This time he made it like a castle and the dolls let it alone.



When the last block was placed in position the dolls started clapping their hands. Then there came a sharp bark from nearby. Turning around Jack saw Flip chasing a toy poodle dog. They were headed right toward the block house. In an instant the blocks were once more toppled over. (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

CHRIS CROW'S VALENTINE



HE WOULDN'T TELL ANYBODY WHAT WAS IN IT, BUT FLEW STRAIGHT HOME AND SULKED.

Chris Crow was cross and no wonder. He got a fearful valentine from somebody. He got it out of his box in the hickory tree postoffice. He wouldn't tell anybody what was in it, but flew straight home and sulked. The way people found out about it was that Chris was so put out, he dropped his valentine, and it fell down to the ground, landing plumb on top of Sally Sparrow who read it, and being a gossip, spread the news at once. It went: "Old Chris Crow is a gloomy old soul. And a gloomy old soul is he. He calls 'Caw, Caw,' from his deep dark hole. Way down in the hickory tree.

"Old Chris Crow is a greedy old soul. And a greedy old soul is he. He ate the daughter of old Mike Mole. And alas no more is she.

"Old Chris Crow is a stingy old soul. And a stingy old soul is he. He said not a word of some corn he stole. No, nary a word said he.

"Old Chris Crow is a plain old soul. An ugly old soul is he. He's just as black as a lump of coal. Quite black, 'twixt you and me.

"Old Chris Crow is an awkward old soul. Oh a clumsy soul is he. He walks like a sailor with quite a roll. On a ship on a stormy sea.

"My valentine is old Chris Crow. A comic one is he. For he likes best rate to boast and blow. Way up in his hickory tree.

"I don't think it's very polite," declared Nancy. "Why can't people send nice valentines?"

Mr. Stamps, the fairy postman, came close and whispered something. "Sh!" he said. "Chris deserves it. All 'C's from Oscar Owl. He sent Oscar an awful one last year, and Oscar has been saving 'up ever since."

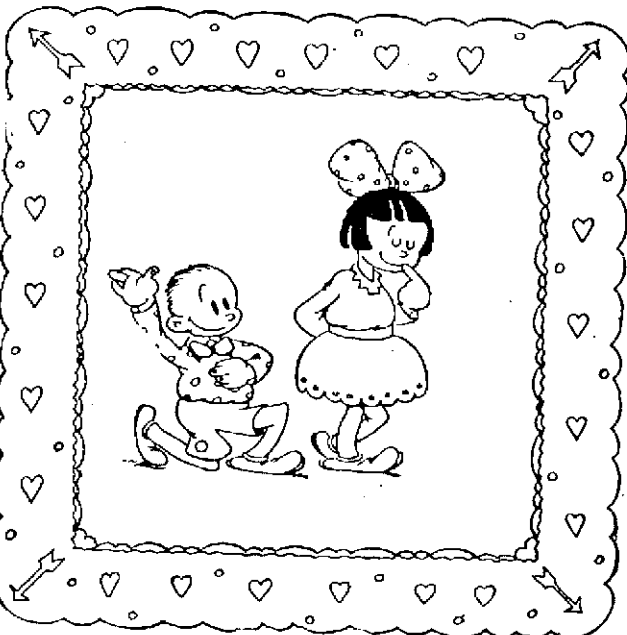
"Well, dear knows!" declared Nick. "Oscar's no angel, either."

(To Be Continued)

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COLOR VALENTINE

From a Little Girl to Her Sweetheart



WIVES AND BABIES OF THE YANKS ARRIVE

"So this is America." Here are shown the German wives and some young American citizens who accompanied their soldier husbands and fathers from Coblenz to Savannah on board the transport St. Mihiel.

Announcements

LOST AND FOUND
TOLEDOISE SHELL GLASSES lost Saturday night in Kresge's store. Reward. 55 Crosby st.

SILVER PURSE lost between Keene st. and St. Peter's church by way of Gorbham st. Reward if returned to 7 Lyon st.

LADY'S GOLD WHIST WATCH lost between Lawrence st. and Fort Hill park, Sunday evening. Return to 17 Swift st. Reward.

MANS GOLD ELEGANT WATCH lost on Central or Gorbham st. Return 110 Central st. Reward.

LONG BLACK POCKETBOOK lost in Woolworth's store containing sum of money. Reward. Return Mrs. Yates, 6 Seventh st.

THE PERSON seen taking a handbag containing pocketbook, gloves, etc. from beneath a counter in Purcell's basement last Saturday afternoon will return same to Pollard's office. They will avoid further trouble.

THIS PARTY WHO FOUND the black bag on Middlesex st. please return discharge papers to St. Lawrence, 232 Middlesex st. or Box 33, No. Chelmsford, and avoid trouble. Reward.

Business Service

MOVING AND TRUCKING

SAND, GRAVEL AND LOAM—Heavy trucking. E. T. Purcell, Sons, 239 Fairmount st. Tel. 1482-W.

WILLIAM ODDIE—18 Hudson st. Local and long distance trucking. Our service and prices are right. Office Tel. 412.

M. J. FEENEY, piano and furniture moving, 19 Khaman st. Tel. 5475-W.

STORAGE
STORAGE ROOMS for furniture and pianos, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per month, also furniture and piano moving. O. P. Frontis, 350 Bridge st. Tel. 126.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE and pianos, large enough for two-horse load. M. A. Munroe, 13 South st.

CARPENTERS AND JOINERS
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER for any kind of a house, with all manner of repair work. Quick service guaranteed. Call or phone 6333-W. Philip Chamberland, 12 Common st.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED
CHIMNEYS SWEEPED, \$2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 121 Appleton st. Tel. 471-M.

ROOFING
CHIMNEY and slate roof repairing, smoky chimneys a specialty. J. M. Kelley, 121 Appleton st. Tel. 471-M.

AL. GEOFROY—Contractor for shingles, slate, gravel and tar roofs. All kinds of sheet metal work. Roofing of 15 years experience. 318 Alma st. Tel. 110.

STOVE REPAIRING
HAVE YOUR STOVE TRIMMINGS polished and nickel plated. Hogan and Aldwin, 37 Shattuck st. Tel. 294.

QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO. 110 Middlesex st. sell linings, grates and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges. Work promptly attended to by expert repair men. Tel. 4179.

BRICK AND STONE WORK
BRICK AND STONE WORK, cement garages built to order. Purcell, 239 Fairmount st. Tel. 1482-W.

DIPLOSTERING
FURNITURE upholstered, reupholstered, repaired like new. Lowell Furniture Repairing Co., Tel. 666, 2 Lincoln st.

UPHOLSTERING and cushions of all kinds. Coray, 43 Court st. Tel. 1928.

UPHOLSTERING—Furniture repairing. G. Gott, 334 Bridge st. Telephone.

Employment

HELP WANTED—MALE
BARKER wanted, 220 Middlesex street. Good wages.

REPRESENTATIVE wanted, man or woman. Must be businesslike, experienced canvasser. High grade guaranteed article. If you mean business, answer: 25 per cent. commission. House Dress Apron Co., Inc., Market and Shuler Sts., Amsterdam, N. Y.

2 YOUNG MEN wanted for city sales force. New proposition. We teach and pay guaranteed salary while learning. Steady work with chance for advancement. Inquire at Rooming House, 21 Bridge st., between 5-7 p.m. Room 25. Ask for B. L. Peters.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY to be independent and prosperous. Become our special representative, sell goods in constant demand. Particulars free. The Hibernia Co., Elmira, N. Y.

SITUATIONS WANTED
DRESSMAKING at home by an experienced and competent dressmaker, at reasonable prices. Miss Mainville, 28 Hall street.

MAN who has been repairing property for 35 years, would like position in that line, good work guaranteed. Tel. 5019-M.

Financial

MONEY TO LOAN
CASH waiting for at 400 p.m. 100-1000. Reply P. O. Box 1047.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE
FUR COAT for sale. Slightly worn Hudson Bay seal, to inches long. Price \$40.00. Inquire Fur Co. G. 12 Moody, Tel. 5723.

SPECIAL SALE of hats, clothing and other miscellaneous articles Wednesday, between 12 and 3. St. Anne's Parish House, Kirk st.

HEALTHY VALENTINES—Come and see them also U. S. rubbers for the family. E. P. Parker, 149 Pine st.

6 TONS OF HAY for sale, \$15 per ton, undelivered. Write, M. Lynsky, R.F. D. Box 231, Wilmington, Mass.

BAKERS MILL REMANENT STOCK—Moved to 211 Merrimack st.

GAS RANGES—In perfect condition, as good as new. \$15, \$18 and \$22. O. P. Frontis, 350 Bridge st. Stovick 25c.

Musical Instruments

PIANOS—A few good bargains in new and used ones, at House, 704 Bridge st., near 19th st. Open evenings. Tel. 5013-M.

SPECIAL AT THE STORES
A. OLSZANSKI VARIETY STORE, 110 Lakewood ave. Tel. 2162.

USED PIANOS—A few good bargains in used pianos and player pianos. Prices as low as possible. Instruments guaranteed. Hon. March.

Furs

HOME FOR CO.—U. S. Moody, Tel. 5723. I admit, your patronage because I can give you a genuinely good buy in fur coats. A large assortment, reliably sold. Furs removed and repaired at reasonable prices.

Razors

RAZORS HONED—Our expert honing, concave razors and remanent razors a little better than most. Body also. Howard, 191 Central st.

Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS
TYPEWRITERS—New, rebuilt and second hand machines of all leading makes at reasonable prices. Our rental charges by the month moderate. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st. to 55 Middle st.

Rooms—Board

ROOMS FOR RENT
STEAM-HEATED ROOMS to let, \$3 up. 2 furnished light bulbless rooms, steam heat, low Appleton st.

Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—FURNISHED
MODERN 6-ROOM TENEMENT to let on Walker ave., off Walker st. Inquire 233 Central st. Tel. 2083-J.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, modern improvements, rent reasonable, Middlesex st. Inquire 131 Central st.

2 DOUBLE HOUSES to let, Drury Navy yard, 6 rooms, open plumbing. Price \$15 month. Apply 218 Westford st. city.

6-ROOM COTTAGE to let with improvements, in good condition. Inquire at 92 Shaw st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let in North Chelmsford, gas, electricity, bath, hot and cold water. Tel. 1502-K or 3004.

1 AND 2-ROOM TENEMENT to let, steam heat. All modern improvements. 420 Fletcher st., between Lutterella and Varney sts. Tel. 574 or 1657-W. Office.

6-ROOM APARTMENT with garage to let in Highlands, modern. Tel. 5013-J.

Houses For Sale

NEAR BLOSSOM ST.—\$300 down, 5-room cottage, gas and small garden. Price \$2200. M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Tel. 3173.

NEAR HOSFORD ST.—6-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water. Price \$2200. M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Tel. 3173.

NEAR CORHILL ST.—6-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water, 4000 ft. of land, \$200 down. Price \$2200. M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Tel. 3173.

NEAR SMITH ST.—8-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water, \$300 down. Price \$2200. M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Tel. 3173.

Business Property

LEASE ON GARAGE for sale, garage doing good business. Owner desires to leave town. Franklin street garage. Tel. 1970-11.

P.J. Gralton
Real Estate
Insurance
407 Newbury St., Lowell

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



HOW HAVE YOU BEEN MRS. DUFF? I WAS JUST DOWN TOWN TRYING TO GET SOME MONEY OUT OF MY HUSBAND AND THOUGHT I'D STOP IN FOR A MINUTE.

I'M GLAD YOU DID MRS. TINEY HOW DID YOU COME OUT? DID YOU TAKE HIM DOWN FOR SOME?

YES, I KICKED HIM FOR A TEN SPOT—THE LITTLE WART IS GETTING SO TIGHT THAT IT'S LIKE PULLING TEETH TO GET HIM TO LOSEN UP A LITTLE.

WELL, I GUESS YOU DO PRETTY WELL AT ANY RATE.

I SEE YOU HAVE A MAID NOW, MRS. DUFF. HOW DO YOU LIKE HER?

REAL WELL—SO FAR—PVE ONLY HAD HER ABOUT A WEEK—HOW LONG DO YOU GENERALLY KEEP A MAID, MRS. TINEY?

OH, UNTIL THEY BEGIN TO SHOW HOW SORRY THEY ARE FOR MY HUSBAND!

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON			
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LINCOLN DAY EXERCISES HELD

Splendid and Impressive Program Given at the Memorial Auditorium

Brig. Gen. John H. Sherburne, World War Hero, Present as Principal Speaker

The 144th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln was observed at the Memorial Auditorium last evening by members of local patriotic societies and other men and women eager to share in a program which had the great emancipator as its inspiration. The city park commission was in charge of the exercises, with Hugh J. Malloy, superintendent of schools, as the presiding officer, and Brig. Gen. John H. Sherburne, former hero of the 16th, as the principal speaker.

The program opened with invocation pronounced by Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph.D., after which the governor's Lincoln day proclamation was read by Joseph A. Malloy, commander of Lowell Post, 87, American Legion.

In the absence of Mayor John J. Donovan, who was unable to be present because of a multitude of engagements, one of his secretaries, Harry C. Glasse, represented him and extended the greetings of the city. He said the mayor regretted exceedingly his inability to attend the exercises, but the social and business demands of the evening were unusually heavy.

Community singing was led by Miss Inez Fitch Dunham of the Normal school. Songs of the civil war period were sung for the most part, and the words of which were turned upon a score so that all might join in singing them. Miss Damon interestingly sketched the histories of several of the songs, telling particularly of the circumstances that surrounded the birth of "Julia Ward Howe's" "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Splendid indeed was Lincoln's immortal address at Gettysburg as read by Frank K. Stearns. His splendid voice seemed to give it new life and meaning, and it was one of the most impressive parts of the program.

The story of the march of the Old Sixth regiment through Baltimore, which cost the lives of Ladd and Whitney and glorified Lowell's participation in the great conflict was told in anecdotal form by Capt. Joseph N. Jones, one of the few survivors of the memorable march on April 19, 1861. Of the 700-odd men who tramped through Baltimore streets on that day only 30 now are alive, said the captain. He told of the call to arms that rang through the city after Sumner had been fired upon and the volunteers responded by militia and volunteers. "Although the Old Sixth regiment did not do a great deal of actual fighting," he said, "their glory lies in the fact that they were ready to jump in at a moment's notice."

A group of negro spirituals was sung by Miss Edna Lawrence, a graduate of the Normal school here and now engaged in post-graduate music work at the school. Deeply religious and sober in character, the songs were given with meaning and significance as Miss Lawrence sang.

The audience warmly greeted Gen. Sherburne when this splendid World War commander was presented by Mr. Malloy.

"I think it is fitting on my part to thank you Lincoln to you men who knew him and lived with him, and the years he held a guiding hand over the destinies of our great nation," said the general. "But, after all, he was not your Lincoln, but our Lincoln, firmly enshrined in our hearts and souls and honored as the savior of the nation."

"To men and to this generation, Lincoln is growing bigger as a figure of history and as a man. He was a splendid example of the type of man and patriot that America feels is her special pride."

The exercises closed with a one-reel motion picture, showing Benjamin Chapin's impersonations of Lincoln and captioned, "Lincoln and the Sleeping Sentinel."

Elks' Home, 12th St., Damaged
LYNN, Feb. 13.—Fire early today in the Elks' building on Spring street, damaged streets, caused damage estimated at \$25,000. The Elks' lodge rooms on the third floor, were destroyed and the two upper floors were burned out. The roof of the building collapsed, but no one was injured.

Below the third floor, there was a heavy water damage to offices and stores.

The fire spread to Melvin hall, an apartment house on Spring street, causing an additional loss of about \$5000. It burned through a blind alley, and caused a score of persons to leave. Mrs. Alice Vancot and Miss Marcel Benoit fainted, and had to be carried out by firemen, who also cared for the 17 months old child of the former.

PROBE INTER-CITY TRUST

Activities of Organization, Holding Property Here, Under Investigation

Action Follows Arrest of Sole Trustee on Secret Indictment

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—The activities of the Inter-City Trust, described as a national co-operative real estate organization formed to meet the acute housing shortage throughout the whole nation, were under investigation by the police today. S. Leonard Montague, sole trustee of the organization, arrested last night on a secret indictment charging larceny, conspiracy to steal, and receiving stolen goods, was held in jail in default of \$25,000 bail.

Women Make Complaint
The complainants against Montague were women who alleged that he secured from them cash and securities in amounts from \$25,000 to \$250. The police said that stock of the Inter-City Trust was sold largely to women living in New England mill centers, and that dividends were paid out of capital. According to investigating officials at least \$800,000 was taken in by the company.

The Inter-City Trust, it was said, held property in many cities, including Lowell and Manchester. Sale of its securities in Massachusetts was forbidden last November under the "blue sky" law, and the company was petitioned into bankruptcy December 1 by Boston and New York creditors.

Papers found on Montague's person when he was arrested indicated the police said, that he was interested in the purchase and sale of shore property at Miami Beach, Fla.

Serve Removal of Receiver
BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Allegations that the Inter-City Trust of Boston had obtained \$1,000,000 from shareholders, of which \$750,000 was dissipated, were today in a bill filed in the federal court, today, in which the receiver, Fred H. Williams, as receiver, was sought on jurisdictional grounds. About the same time, District Attorney Thomas C. O'Brien was telling Judge Bishop in the superior court, that charges involving the company, which were pending against S. Leonard Montague, trustee of the project, in several counties of this state.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Herve St. Marie and Miss Ella Allard were married yesterday afternoon at St. Jeanne d'Arc rectory in White street, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Charles Denzot, O.M.I. The couple were attended by their respective fathers, Messrs. Modeste St. Marie and George Allard. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 135 Gorman avenue.

Homecoming—Teacher
The wedding of Mr. Eugene V. Bourgeois and Miss Josephine Desjardins of this city took place yesterday at St. Anne's church, Lawrence. The best man was Mr. Leo Tessier, while the bridesmaid was Miss Germaine Desjardins. The couple will make their home in Lawrence.

Local—Lawrence
At St. Joseph's rectory yesterday afternoon Mr. Edmund H. Leclair and Miss Bertha Labrache were united in the bonds of matrimony. The witnesses were Messrs. George Labrache and Rosendo Leclair, fathers of the bride and groom respectively. The bride wore a white canton crepe with hat to match and carried a bouquet of roses. At the close of the ceremony the couple were received at the home of the bride's parents, 77 Cheever street. The couple will make their home at 33 Fourth street.

Marriage—Malis
Mr. Joseph Omer Desjardins and Miss M. E. Alice Malis were married at St. Jean Baptiste church yesterday, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Arthur Desjardins, O.M.I. The witnesses were Messrs. J. Omer Desjardins, Sr. and Mr. Misael Malis, fathers of the groom and bride respectively. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 28 Langrange street.

Wooden earrings, hand carved and painted and suspended by metal chains, are a recent novelty.

It takes 500 bees to weigh a pound. Ten years is the average life of an oyster.

The only monument to Adam is to be found in Baltimore.

Budget Commission Slashes Estimates

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year. Believing that a new fire alarm signal system should be purchased by a loan, rather than from money appropriated by the city, which was cut out of the commission, who made the purchase of \$33,000 worth of new motor fire apparatus.

These two items struck out take care of more than one-third of the entire cost. The estimate of \$75,000, submitted by the street department for a new equipment building at the department yard in Broadway, also was cut out, as this, too, seemed to be an expenditure which properly might be cared for by a loan.

Special building improvements, calling for \$14,000, were cut to \$10,000 by the commission, who feel that this sort of work should be distributed over several years, rather than attempting to accomplish all of it in one year.

The school department estimates

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Swallow slowly small pieces—rub well over the throat.
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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly
COUGH
Try PISO'S Asthma Syrup—different from all others—pleasant—no opium—35c and 50c everywhere.



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Medium Brown hair looks best of all after a Golden Gilt Shampoo. Ladies' coats dry cleaned, 32, Dyed 44, French Lininger Laundry, Tel. 6620. Mr. Wilfrid Lachance of St. Florent, Que., is the guest of local relatives.

Mrs. Wilfrid Asselin of Beauclair street has returned from a five-week trip to Canada.

A telephone alarm was sent in at 8:02 o'clock this morning for a slight leak in the partitions at 15 Deane street.

Mrs. A. Wilfrid Lachance of Beauclair street has returned from a two-month trip to Montreal, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Hoyt of 10 Wyman street left Lowell today for Boston, Fla., where they will remain about a week.

Miss Gabrielle Lachance of this city left yesterday for Montreal, Que., where she will be the guest of relatives for a couple of weeks.

Mayor John J. Donovan is one of a large class to be initiated into the secrets and good fellowship of Lowell about Elks this evening.

James P. O'Sullivan, son of Timothy P. O'Sullivan of 165 Cross St. is leading the senior class of Holy Cross college, Worcester, in scholarship standing with an average of 87 per cent. James is a graduate of St. Patrick's boys' school and Boston College high school.

Rev. W. R. Corbett, S.T.L., of Somerville, will be the speaker at a smoker of the C. V. M. next Monday evening. Rev. Fr. Corbett has the distinction of being the only Catholic priest standing with a record of 100 per cent. in the Massachusetts supreme court before a full bench. His subject next Monday will be "The Origin, History and Reason for the Condemnation of Freemasonry."

The many friends of Joseph Burns of Bellevue street will be pleased to learn that he is resting fairly comfortable after suffering considerably from a severe attack of fracture of the ribs and wrist sustained in an accident which occurred a week ago.

were cut slightly and other slices were nicked off here and there, but it was more in the line of a general revision downward than a drastic reduction in any one department.

The estimates presented totalled \$5,112,510.70, against expenditures last year of \$4,723,000. The bills amounting to \$5,837,98, which must be cared for this year.

The budget of 1922, upon which the tax rate was established amounted to \$4,270,116.55.

If the figures of the budget and audit commission are allowed to stand, this year's budget will approximate 1922 expenditures, which were \$4,500,000 greater than the budget total.

Lowell Police Assist to Solve Tewksbury Tragedy

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the Clemas girl obtained the alleged liquor, some of which was found near the dead bodies in the death car Thursday morning.

road to collect the tax bill made out in the name of Arthur Bolsovert, the authorities were told by the man responding to their summons, that he was a "war veteran" and exempt. Full proof of the man's claim was furnished to the authorities on collection rounds and the tax was, of course, waived.

Town authorities informed The Sun today that at the time the young man, listed on the poll tax list of 1921 as Arthur Bolsovert, lived in the lonely house on Whipple road, he had recently been married to a young and comely girl. The Bolsoverts made many acquaintances among the young people in Tewksbury at the time.

The authorities could not learn today when the couple left Tewksbury. The former named Kaczette, who lives about two miles north of Wameo, on Trull road, in Tewksbury, told The Sun that he owns a house and land, has a wife and three children there, and declares that one of his daughters, Stella Kaczette, who is about 20 years old and has been employed in a mill in Lowell, was well acquainted with the Clemas girl.

"Stella chummed with her," was the way Mr. Kaczette put it when he informed The Sun that the Clemas girl frequently visited his home and was entertained by his family.

Findings of Bodies
Inquiry today among several young Tewksbury men who were first to look into the Bolsovert sedan last Thursday morning, enabled The Sun to give the first accurate story of the sordid picture that presented itself to the amazed discoverers of the double tragedy.

For the first time the names of these men are published today. They were obtained at the home of each man by a Sun reporter yesterday and each man testified to being one of the party of three first to uncover the mystery of the stalled sedan car that had been standing there just around the corner of the Tewksbury cross roads, where the Billerica-Andover and Lowell-Reading highways meet.

Tewksbury townsopeers and officials also substantiate the fact that these young men are the ones who first discovered the bodies.

The names of these three important witnesses already in the possession of the medical examiner and town authorities, are: Lawrence Purdy, Samuel Brownstein, and Peter Bonough. Each man was interviewed today by a Sun reporter and each told exactly the same story revealing important facts about as follows:

At the spot where the Lowell-Reading highway crosses the Billerica-Andover highway, at the "Four Corners," as it is sometimes called, there is a large white house on the Lowell side corner of the Reading road. Just north of this house stands the grocery and tobacco store of Samuel Brownstein, well known for some years in Tewksbury and to automobilists using the highway, and that section of the county. Right around the corner stands the house of Peter Bonough. Purdy lives only a short distance away.

All three men had seen the automobile apparently stalled on the side of the road all of Thursday morning, and all supposed it to be an abandoned car. The sight has not been unusual on the Tewksbury roads during the past few weeks of severe snowstorms and traffic blockades.

About 11:55 that morning, Purdy and Brownstein were still worrying good-naturedly about "that car" when suddenly Purdy declared that he was going to see "what was inside that sedan if no one else would." Purdy walked around the corner of the house and strode through the snow to the top of the hill, where he yanked open the rear door. Brownstein closed behind him, uttered a cry of amazement and Purdy jumped back as if from a blow. Bonough was close behind the two young men and he, too, received the scare of his young life.

The boys said they could hardly believe their eyes, as one of them expressed it today, when they peered up courage and went closer to the rear open door of the sedan and looked in for the second time. What they saw is best described by Purdy, who has told the same story to the town authorities and medical examiner, but has never before been interviewed by any newspaper representative.

"The man and the girl lay huddled on the floor of the sedan," said Purdy today. "The girl had one arm thrown backward against the car seat and it appeared as if she were resting comfortably. On one finger of the girl's hand, which was frozen solidly, was a cameo ring. 'The eyes of both man and girl

were closed as if both were asleep. I took hold of the man's right arm and it was as hard as a rock. There was no evidence that they had been sick or suffering, so far as I could see. The expression on the girl's face as well as her escort was simply that of a sleeping person."

"The surprising feature that impressed me and my friends here who were with me and made the discovery, was the fact that neither man nor girl had on hats or gloves. The man apparently had no overcoat. Looking further about the car, we discovered the two pieces of headgear worn by the couple."

On the front seat of the sedan was the girl's small round hat, apparently of not very costly design. The rear seat just the other side of the two huddled bodies, we saw the man's hat. Close beside the hat lay a full bottle of liquid, which we supposed was "moonshine." It was "full up to the top" and apparently had not been opened. We saw no other bottles in that car.

"The man's hat was a common brown felt. The girl had her coat on. The clothing of both was disarranged. The man wore a brown overcoat, but we didn't see it first. Later on, we saw that he had it half rolled down his back as if he had died while trying to remove the overcoat. It was the strangest most inexplicable sight you ever saw or ever will see. I have never been able to eat a square meal since I opened the door of that sedan last Thursday morning about five minutes of twelve. And that's the full story of what we three found and the only time I have told it to anyone except the police here."

Appraisal Theory Dismissed
The Tewksbury authorities today state that the theory that the death of the tragedy victims might have been caused by carbon monoxide fumes from a running motor, has been dismissed as an impossible thing under the conditions present in the sedan on the night in question.

Undertaker Farmer, who has the death car in his garage, told The Sun today that yesterday, accompanied by two Lowell automobile experts and a member of the staff of the Lowell Vocational school automobile department, he took the machine out doors and tested it thoroughly for more than an hour. The car was examined from top to bottom and was found to be in excellent mechanical condition.

Although the gasoline measurement dial pointed steadily to "half full," as it has done ever since the car was found, the experts and the Lowell officials, however, are not satisfied. Mr. Farmer and his assistants found no fuel in the tank. They put in three gallons of a good mixture of gas and started the engine promptly. The man then climbed into the car and closed the doors and remained there closely guarded by the experts at a time during extensive different tests.

Not a man present seated in the sedan during the time the engine was running smelled the least bit of gasoline smoke and kind of vapor, each one testified today. All are absolutely convinced that if the engine motor had been left running for hours, as it has been, that occupants of the car would not be in any danger whatsoever of poisoning by carbon monoxide, as suggested when the dead bodies were found in the sedan last week.

Mr. Farmer and his men say they believe now that the engine was not left running by the occupants while they rested at the crossroads, but the gas tank became empty at that point and Bolsovert turned in at the side of the Billerica-Andover highway and may have planned to obtain gas later at the fuel station, which is only 50 feet away in front of the Brownstein store just around the corner.

There are two or three other locations nearby where gas can be obtained easily obtained at all hours of the night on the Tewksbury and Andover roads if the sedan occupants had desired to secure fuel after stopping at the corner.

Did Not Visit Stores
The fact that the couple apparently made no attempt to secure any gasoline at any of the stations that night, is something that further mystifies the officials investigating the case today.

Inquiries by a Sun man today at nearby points on the Tewksbury and Andover highways, elicited no information that would show that anybody in that neighborhood saw the Lawrence and Bolsovert couple. None of the small stores in that locality—and they are numerous—were visited by the ill-fated couple, so far as the police and The Sun can find out.

The two radiator pipes that Bolsovert had self-installed in the bottom of his

TO LAY ASIDE SHIP BILL

Agreement Reached by Senate Republican Leaders After White House Conference

To Lay Aside Ship Bill for Consideration of Debt Settlement Legislation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Agreement was reached today by senate republican leaders to lay aside the administration shipping bill tomorrow for consideration of the British debt settlement legislation.

The arrangement was made after further White House conferences between President Harding, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the majority floor leader, and Senator Watson, republican, Indiana. It was said to be the hope of the administration forces to pass the debt bill tomorrow or by Thursday at the latest. Meantime the ship bill will be held in its present advantageous position as unfinished business.

President to Make Real Fight
President Harding was said to have reiterated his belief that the ship bill should not be put aside and the agreement reached today appeared to be in a nature of a compromise. It contemplates that when the legislation comes up again it shall be pressed vigorously, the president having determined, according to the republican leaders, to wage "a real fight" for its passage.

The president was told, however, at today's conference, that the fate of the bill was uncertain, the republican organization being not yet positive. It could muster a majority. There was a possibility, he was informed, that the bill might be amended in a drastic way before the vote could be reached.

The president was said to be anxious that the four unfinished appropriation bills be pressed to insure against the necessity for an extra session. A desire to have the farm credit legislation brought from the house blockade, was also expressed by the president and the administration senators said they would urge house leaders to get to work on the credit measures already named by the senate. Despite the situation facing the bill, Senator Lodge insisted as he left the White House today that there was every prospect that the bill would be passed.

car to heat it during the winter months, were closely examined yesterday by Undertaker Farmer and the Lowell expert auto mechanics. The pipes were found wholly exposed in the floor of the car, the flooring being removed to let stand the tremendous heat without being thoroughly warm up the interior of the sedan.

The Tewksbury authorities said today that the bodies of the man and the girl were found slumped down resting upon and covering all of these five exposed radiator pipes, as they are termed in automobile circles. Undertaker Farmer says that five minutes after the engine was started yesterday, the five pipe heating apparatus, home-built and invented by Bolsovert, became heated so intensely that no human flesh or even ordinary wearing apparel could withstand the tremendous heat without being badly burned.

The fact that the bodies lay partially across this open heating radiator when the victims were found, and the further fact that no marks of burns can be found on either the bodies or any portions of the victim's clothing proves, in the opinion of Undertaker Farmer and the auto experts, as well as the officials of Tewksbury, that the engine was not running when death entered the stalled car at Foster's corner.

EAGLES' NOTICE
Lowell Eagles vs. Lawrence Eagles
Lowell Aerie has arranged for a series of games with Lawrence Aerie, the first of the series to be played Thursday evening, Feb. 16, at Lawrence. Special cards will leave Palace street at 7 p. m. Members desiring to go should notify one of the officers of Lowell Aerie, no later than Wednesday evening, Feb. 14.

Per order: JOHN M. HOGAN, R. Pres. JOHN M. HOGAN, Secretary.

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GERMAN TOWN MUST PAY FINE

Gelsenkirchen Ordered to Turn Over 100,000,000 Marks to French

Action Follows Clash Between German Police and French Gendarmes

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press) The town of Gelsenkirchen has been fined 100,000,000 marks to be paid tomorrow, in consequence of the incident there yesterday between German police and French gendarmes. The burgomaster, the chief of police and the policemen believed to be guilty of involvement in the affair, have been arrested.

German Policeman Killed
PARIS, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press) A German policeman was killed and two French gendarmes were wounded in yesterday's affair at Gelsenkirchen, in the Ruhr, says the French official version of the incident, obtained today.

The foreign office in giving out the details, says the gendarmes were on the way to the mayor's office in Gelsenkirchen with a letter when their car was stopped by a policeman who threatened them with a revolver. The gendarmes fired on the policeman, who fell. Thereupon, six policemen from a nearby post hurried up and fired on the gendarmes, wounding one in the arm and the other in the liver.

Allies Occupy Rhine Ports
DUESSELDORF, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press) The occupation of the towns of Dusseldorf and Wevelun, for today, gives the allies control of two Rhine ports. Both places are located on the right bank of the Rhine, north of this city.

According to German sources, yesterday's collision between French soldiers and German police at Gelsenkirchen, has aggravated the feeling between the French and the civilian population. It is pointed out that French officers are using their riding whips upon German functionaries as a means of enforcing orders, and that the smoldering fires of discontent.

Economic Disturbances

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press) Economic disturbances are foreseen by the Allgemeine Zeitung as a result of the stagnation of the French iron foundry, which has been deprived of Ruhr coal.

The newspaper asserts that France has lost more than a million tons of fuel in the first month of the occupation and that consequently the French iron industry has been driven from the world market. If disturbances occur, the journal adds, the only question is who will suffer most.

"Touching upon the boycott of iron manufacturers, the Allgemeine Zeitung points out that most of the finishing plants are outside of the occupied zone and that they are stocked with raw materials and partly manufactured goods."

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160 Orphans Rescued; Fireman Loses Life Department Estimates Slashed

LOWELL POLICE ASSIST COUNTY AUTHORITIES TO SOLVE TEWKSBURY TRAGEDY

Police Working on Theory That Boisvert Obtained Liquor at Tewksbury House—Local Officers Assist in "Moonshine" Raid—Positions of Bodies in Death Car Described by Men Who Found Them—Auto Experts Believe That Deaths Were Not Caused by Gasoline Fumes—No Indications of Foul Play

The Lowell police and Middlesex county investigators who are now working in nelson on the Tewksbury double-death tragedy, believe today that they have discovered the place in Tewksbury where Arthur Boisvert of Lawrence obtained the liquor found in the death car.

A quantity of alleged liquor, obtained in a county and police officers' raid on a "trull" road farmhouse in Tewksbury yesterday—a raid ordered by the district attorney's office and in which members of the Lowell police department figured—is to be chemically tested by the proper medical authorities, to find out just what materials the concoction was composed of.

This development today, indicating it is believed, that the authorities of Tewksbury and the county, as well as the co-operating Lowell police and district attorney's department are searching for further evidence that will prove conclusively where Boisvert and the Clemons girl actually obtained their

160 ORPHANS REMOVED TO SAFETY —FIREMAN DIES OF INJURIES

Two Buildings of Orphans' Home at Webster Place, Franklin, N. H., Destroyed by Fire—All Children Removed Without Injury—Four Firemen Caught Under Falling Wall—One Fatally Injured—Loss Set at \$60,000—One Dead, Two Missing and Loss of \$1,500,000 in Syracuse Fire

FRANKLIN, N. H., Feb. 13.—Two buildings of the plant of the New Hampshire Orphans' home at Webster place, were burned early today. All of the 160 children were removed without injury and cared for in other buildings of the institution. Four firemen were caught under a falling wall and injured, one fatally. The loss is estimated at \$60,000.

Injuries Prove Fatal
Peter Savoie sustained a fractured skull and he died at the Franklin hospital a few hours later. Arthur Wise

Senate Takes up Debt Funding Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The British debt funding bill was taken up in the senate today, under an agreement reached after conference between President Harding and republican leaders for laying aside the administration shipping bill temporarily but without displacing it from privileged status.

HIGHLAND CLUB
Tonight
THE STRATFORDS
Weldon's Orchestra of Lawrence

Police Find 125 Gallon Still in Operation and Unearth Vast Quantities of Mash and Moonshine



Photo by Will Rounds.

SCENE AT RAID IN LAKEVIEW AVENUE—BARRELS OF MASH AND JUGS OF MOONSHINE

What is believed to be one of the largest and most "elaborate" stills yet brought to the attention of local liquor officers, was taken into custody this morning when the premises of Franciszek Lenzyk, numbered four, rear of 172 Lakeview avenue, opposite Coburn street, were raided by Officers Lison, Molony, Leney, Cotter, Connelley, Hamilton and Gan-

SHOT DEAD BY BOSTON OFFICER

Proprietor of Near Beer Saloon Slain by Patrolman D. M. O'Connell

Hit Officer Over Head With Stove Shaker After Selling Drink of Liquor

Was About to Strike Him Again When Officer Drew Pistol and Fired

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Luigi Scakagizza, proprietor of a near-beer saloon on Bunker Hill street, in the Charlestown district, was shot dead by Patrolman Daniel M. O'Connell today. O'Connell reported that he went into the place in plain clothes, bought a drink of liquor and then started to arrest the proprietor.

Scakagizza, the patrolman said, hit him over the head with an iron stove shaker and started to hit him again. O'Connell then drew his pistol and fired. The man was wounded in the head and was pronounced dead when taken to a hospital.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS
NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Exchanges \$48,000,000; balances \$38,000,000.
BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Exchanges, \$18,000,000; balances, \$10,000,000.

BLACK VELVET HANDBAG with small sum of money lost from 438 Fletcher st., through North common and Hancock ave. Reward \$85 Fletcher st., or Tel. 1871-M.

VOICES OUT OF THE AIR

Give Information as to Train Movements and Delays to B. & M. Patrons

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Voices out of the air gave information as to train movements and delays to Boston and Maine railroad patrons at the North station today. An announcer in the office of the trainmaster of the terminal division was the source. As he talked quietly into a telephone transmitter his words were carried over wires to 10 amplifying horns in various parts of the station which so increased in volume of sound that the announcements were clearly heard above the noise of the trains.

SPOT CASH

For nearly 100 years our depositors have been able to get their money any time they wanted it.
Savings Department interest begins the first of each month.

**Old Lowell
National Bank**

LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY
On account of the illness of Conductor Hood, there will be no rehearsals this week.

14 RESCUED AT LAWRENCE FIRE

Scantily Clad Tenants Fled When Blaze Broke Out in Amesbury Street Block

Children Attired in Nighties Taken Into Garage—Later Conveyed to Police Station

\$25,000 Loss Caused by Fire in Elks Building, Lynn, This Morning

LAWRENCE, Feb. 13.—Fourteen persons were rescued in an early morning fire that partially destroyed a three-story tenement block on Amesbury street.

The fire started in the drygoods store of Fred Bistany at 3 o'clock this morning and spread to the Boston grocery store nearby. No one was injured.

Firemen on arrival in response to box 22 at Amesbury and Essex streets found heavy smoke pouring out of the Bistany store and on breaking in the door flames shot high in the air and

**JANITOR AND WATCHMAN
FOR AUDITORIUM**

The trustees of the Memorial Auditorium in meeting last night elected Francis Gargan a janitor and John Cassin a watchman at the building. Both names were taken from eligible lists submitted by the civil service commission and the appointments are permanent to fill vacancies caused by the expiration of the limits of employment of two temporary men.

Associate hall, Stiner-Doyle's, tonight.

GEN. CLARENCE R. EDWARDS GUEST AND SPEAKER AT LOWELL ROTARIAN CLUB DINNER

"Daddy of the 26th" Says Camp Devens Must Be Retained as Field for Training of Citizen soldiery—Interesting Talk on "The Defence of New England"

Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, no longer in military uniform but rigidly erect and active as when he proudly led the famous 26th Yankee Division of New Englanders to war, was a dinner guest of Lowell Rotarians today and appeared to be delighted with his cordial reception. Addressing his hosts after the dinner and Rotary club song, the general gave a half-hour impromptu speech filled with good stories, war reminiscences and several sharp comments on the war department bureaucracy and certain military "high-ups." Referring to the situation at Camp Devens, he said:

"Camp Devens must be retained as a field for the training of our citizen soldiery. It is in a strategic place for the stationing of men and machinery of war should New England ever be attacked from an enemy coming by sea. New England today is not vulnerable, her defenses are not adequate but I learn that the time is coming when our coasts here in this northeast corner of our country will be fully protected and that New England will continue to have Camp Devens for its training and field station in times of peace and war, and that will take care of all future problems regarding New England's safety in the unknown events that may transpire when we are at war with some other nation."

The visit of General Edwards to the Rotarian dinner today was made possible through the courtesy of President O. W. Hardy of the Men's club of

BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION SLASHES MORE THAN \$500,000 FROM ESTIMATES

The budget and audit commission has cut between half a million and \$600,000 from the budget estimates presented by city departments for 1923 and by so doing has reduced the total to substantially the amount of last year's total expenditures.

Chairman Tyler A. Stevens was unable to give out the exact figures relating to the cut today, but said the commission's budget would be presented to Mayor John J. Donovan tomorrow.

It was said at the mayor's office this forenoon that upon receipt of the budget commission's figures the mayor will compile a budget of his own and present both sets of figures, including the departmental estimates, to the city council at its next meeting. Although all department heads appeared before the budget and audit commission and the mayor at preliminary sessions conducted last week, it is possible that one or two officials will be asked to appear before Mayor Donovan for a second time.

Most of the pruning done by the budget commission affected new improvements desired by departments this

LOWELL HEALTH AUTHORITIES UP IN ARMS AGAINST MEDICAL LIBERTY LEAGUE

Local health authorities today are up in arms and severe in their criticism of an agency called the Medical Liberty League, Inc., of 765 Boylston street, Boston, which, through over-zealousness appearing in Lowell daily papers, cautions parents against the use of the Schick test for the purpose of determining susceptibility to diphtheria, under the caption "Inviting Danger."

Dr. Francis A. Flinnegan, director of school hygiene, began to use the Schick test in Lowell last year and has obtained excellent results in schools and children's homes. If properly applied and if carefully prepared toxin is used, no harmful results are apparent, health officers say, and the success attained locally seems to bear out this assertion.

KILLS FATHER AND HIMSELF

Loren Squires Murders John Squires and Then Ends Life at Bennington, Vt.

Shooting Followed Quarrel Over Attention Paid by Elder Squires to Son's Wife

BENNINGTON, Vt., Feb. 13.—Loren Squires shot and killed his father, John H. Squires, at the latter's farmhouse in the western part of this town today. Loren then went to his own home, where he ended his life with a bullet through the head.

According to the authorities the two men had quarrelled over attention paid by the elder Squires to his son's wife, Mark Squires, John's brother, said that on coming out of John's barn he saw the men struggling over the possession of a 22-calibre rifle. He tried to separate them but was not strong

MAN KILLS WIFE AND THEN CUTS HIS THROAT

SAUGUS, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Ada Brown was shot and instantly killed at her home here today, William Brown, her husband, after leaving the house with a smoking shotgun in his hand, shot his throat, but his life was saved by police officers who hurried him to a hospital. He was subsequently charged with murder.

The alarm that brought the police to the house was given by Mrs. William Brown, Jr., daughter-in-law of the Browns, who saw the man leaving the house after the shot was fired. Mrs. Brown, Jr., with an infant child in her arms, ran through the street to get a policeman.

Brown was believed to have been drinking. He and his wife were about 50 years of age.

Enough to overpower Loren who a minute later drew back and shot his father in the stomach. John Squires died ten minutes later.

Loren's uncle said he carried his brother into the house and Loren hid away. Then he notified neighbors who went to Loren Squires home and found him lying dead with a bullet through his head and the rifle by his side.

LOWELL POST OF AMERICAN LEGION HOLDS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

Speeches by Gen. John H. Sherburne, State Commander William H. Doyle and Rev. William J. Farrell, Former Chaplain With Yankee Division—
“Get Behind the Post” Was the Slogan

“Get behind the post” was the slogan of the meeting held last night by the local post of the American Legion at the Cornhill hall. It was the first get-together of members that has come under the present administration and about 300 men turned out to enjoy themselves.

The visiting speakers were Gen. John H. Sherburne, formerly of the 102nd State Commander William H. Doyle of the American Legion, and Rev. Wm. J. Farrell of Newton, former chaplain with the Yankee Division and the winner of the D.S.C. for bravery in the service. For an hour and a half Mr. Farrell told story after story of France and the boys who went over there.

At 7 o'clock a banquet was served by “Mess-Sergeant” Harry Cole, and his staff of food providers was kept busy



JOSEPH A. MOLLOY

for about 45 minutes while the boys led themselves in anticipation of a long night's entertainment. Mr. Farrell pronounced the divine blessing before the dinner.

Commander Joseph A. Molloy called the meeting to order at the end of the dinner and told the men of the speakers who are coming here to talk at future meetings of the Legion. Mr. O'Neill of the civil service commission will be at the next meeting to answer any questions they may desire to ask concerning the civil service laws. Editor Williams of the Boston Transcript has promised to attend the meeting March 5th, the third national commander of the Legion will be here around the first of March, and National Commander Owsley will be here in May. Commander Molloy also told of plans under consideration for future speakers where the men could hear speakers who would keep them interested and get the men out to the meetings.

General Sherburne was the first speaker and was necessarily brief and to the point as he was booked to speak at another meeting in Lowell. He told the men to wake up, get out and get something for the Legion. “For four years we have been slumbering,” he said. “Five years ago some of us went over to France. We didn't go to get anything, we went and gave full measure, and when the time came to take the nations of the world looked to us, to America, to lead them out of the morass they had been floundering in so long. I can well remember the visit of President Wilson to Paris, when the people stood hundreds deep to see him and

pay homage to him, not as the man but as the government he represented. The world thought that a great nation, not a nation that depended upon the power of arms, but one which depended upon the power of brains, had come to lead them from the depths they had fallen in. And what happened? We went to sleep. We have been narrow and selfish and now have lost practically all that respect that was given us immediately after the war. We have gone so far as to cast a slight upon France, our ally, and have removed our troops from Germany just when France was endeavoring to make Germany pay what she promised to pay, and I don't think the Legion should stand for it. We must insist that this country make the world as safe as it reasonably can, and we must see to it that we get what we were fighting for these years ago, and I hope the Legion will wake up and put our country as a leader of men, where it belongs.”

Raymond Kelly entertained with three songs at the end of Gen. Sherburne's address and was accompanied by Paul Angelo.

Commander Molloy and General Sherburne both were obliged to leave to attend other meetings and Senior Vice-Commander MacDonald took charge of the meeting and introduced the other speakers.

State Commander Doyle

State Commander William H. Doyle was then introduced and he spoke to the men of the Legion about the Legion and told them it was about time for them to get together, cut out their petty differences and their talk of what the Legion doesn't do, and get together at the meetings and decide what the Legion shall do. He told of sending out questionnaires to find out what the matter was with the Legion, and the answer he received in many cases was “lack of interest.”

“You must attend two meetings a month,” he said. “If your opinion is the opinion of the majority then that opinion rules the Legion. It has been charged that a small clique, rules the Legion, that this small clique runs everything. That is true, a small clique, in every post, runs the meetings, and all you have to do to join that clique is to take active interest in the post and work the small clique you talk of is the clique that does all the work.”

He also told of the men who go about to banquets and meetings and tell what the Legion will do and what it should do and who have no authority in what the Legion is to do and in that way are hurting the organization. In regard to the work of the post he said that it was all laid out.

“We must first take care of the disabled men, and must weed out those who are using the Legion to further their own ends. We must stand ready to help men who are financially embarrassed and stop helping those who, although they have received favors from us, refuse, when they are financially able, to join the Legion.” Mr. Doyle told many instances illustrating the different men that the organization has aided and the way that they have responded to generosity. He also told of the men who, after receiving vocational training for one or two years and are about ready to be rehabilitated, come to the officers of the Legion and try to have them use their influence to get them started in a different line of training as they have decided that they chose the wrong course of vocational training at the start.

Commander Doyle, speaking of the preference set us to civil service for veterans, classed it as a “joke.” He told the members of the local post to be on hand when Mr. O'Neill comes to Lowell and ask him several pertinent questions as to the working of this act. Following Commander Doyle's



Their Wedding Journey

By Dorothy Dean

Dearest Juliet—Here I am, wonderful to relate, in a sheltered corner of the wide veranda of the hotel, writing to you in far off America. To think of it I can hardly realize that I am in Cairo, Egypt, until I look down into the street, swimming with tall Arabians wearing white-headed coverings, oriental fashion, and over yonder the gleaming minarets of the historic Nile, the crimson sails of the osier boats, the private yachts and Dahabiyahs all make me feel as if I were dreaming. I think of all sorts of impossible things and wonder if that splendid looking Arab I saw looking at me last night at the dance is a Sheikh and wants to carry me off. I wore a gown I bought in Paris, rose panne velvet with silver embroidery and a wonderful pearl necklace, and as I came down the stairs Tom stood waiting for me with a college friend. He had not unexpectedly, when I chanced to look across at the open window and there was the name Arab looking at me, but Tom says I was the loveliest woman there and he doesn't wonder the man was smitten, and I feel quite safe with my hubby to protect me anyway. And to think that all this happiness is due to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery that you recommended!

You remember two years ago what

a frightful complexion I had? My face covered with pimples and blotches and I had frequent headaches and stomach trouble. I was ashamed to go anywhere, and how just two bottles of that marvelous medicine effected a complete cure so that when I went to the house party and met Tom, my skin was clear and as smooth as satin, and I don't need rouge. Tom says the roses are in my cheeks. So now that I have told you all about myself I must close as we are going to visit the Pyramids, and there is Tom coming for me!

Love ever—MABEL.

Here's another letter:

Kingston, Mass. “Three years ago my wife was feeling very poorly. I came to the attention of a doctor who told me of the ‘Golden Medical Discovery’ and it soon made a new woman of her. I very emphatically recommend this remedy to all who need a good tonic up throughout the entire system.”—D. Francis Gould, 24 Pond St.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is sold by all druggists in liquid or tablet form, or send for trial sample to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.



THEY GET ANOTHER TASTE OF RUSSIAN WEATHER

These seven little Russian orphans, who were adopted after the close of the war by Rear Admiral N. A. McCully, U. S. N., and brought to this country, got a real taste of old-time Russian winter weather the other day when the first heavy snow of the year struck Washington. Did they enjoy it? Well, rather!

CHELMSFORD MEETING

Warm Verbal Exchanges at Annual Town Meeting in Chelmsford

Sizzling debates of familiar brand recurrent at more than one annual town meeting in Middlesex county each succeeding year, were the rule yesterday at the round-up of Chelmsford citizens, male and female, in the town hall to discuss town affairs, civic improvements, new year appropriation budgets and also elect officers for the coming year.

A good deal of fiery spirit was exhibited by various able Chelmsford citizen debaters during the afternoon session, when the past services of the school superintendent were criticized and defended in the superintendent's absence; the burial of paupers denounced, statements made with reference to the American Legion refuted and the condition of various town roads hotly debated.

The moderator who handled affairs in good style as usual was Walter Perham. The attendance both morning and afternoon was large, with many feminine voters out to participate in red hot discussions and vote regularly with the men folks.

The debate on the 1923 appropriations was stirring from beginning to end and Accountant Samuel Kershaw was frequently called upon to explain unchronicled details with reference to various important financial town transactions. The question of appropriating \$3,000 for the salary of Roscoe G. Perne, superintendent of schools, was eagerly debated also, many believing \$2,000 an ample salary. Patrick S. Ward ably defended the services of the “super,” and declared that many citizens resented and some of the statements made about the superintendent's service when the man himself was not in the hall. Moderator Perham said the point was well taken.

James Dunigan strongly supported the record of the superintendent and said he was glad to appear in the official support. Applause greeted this announcement and then others took the floor in opposition to the superintendent's record, and there was a melee of waving arms and animated figures for several minutes that caused much excitement in the hall and at times threatened to actually break up the meeting. The \$3,000 salary advocates finally won out on the balloting.

The appointment of a school nurse, compulsory by law, was decided upon after the article in the warrant covering the matter was explained. The salary of the nurse will be \$1,500.

Mr. Beloville charged that when an inmate of the town farm died and there had been any services, the selectmen acted as benefactors. Then the body, he said, was taken to Pine Ridge cemetery, taken from the hearse and “carried to a corner where shrubbery was growing and put into a hole without even being put into a pine box.”

The question of allowing the Chelmsford American Legionners the free use of the town hall to play basketball, caused another warm discussion. It was claimed that at one game previously held in the hall and in which Legionners took part, the hall interior had been somewhat damaged during the progress of the sport. Legion members insisted that they had offered to pay for the repairs required, but their offer had been turned down.

Fireworks were in order, also, when article 23 came up for an appropriation for constructing a concrete walk along the street lines of the Princeton school house and the town hall at North Chelmsford. Pastor Jenkins declared the sidewalk an eyesore and a “disgrace.” Immediately after that \$1,400

members were entertained by Jack McArdle, who sang several songs and recited a piece that proved very interesting, and then Arthur Moran and Jim Gleason staged a tin cup fight in which the tin cups were seriously injured but the fighters were unscathed.

A few words to the appeal of State Commander Doyle were added by Past Commander Garrity and he asked every member to get behind the present commander and make this year a banner year for the Legion.

The former chaplain

Rev. Fr. Farrell was the last speaker and his remarks kept these present on their toes all the time. He told the men to attend the meetings and to get out in uniform at public occasions, especially Memorial Day, to take this day up where the veterans of the Civil war were leaving off, and to make it one of the big functions of the Legion. Mr. Farrell then told stories concerning his life overseas and kept the men laughing and applauding at every anecdote. He told stories for an hour and a half and the men would willingly have remained longer to hear him.

Commander Molloy had returned to the meeting prior to Fr. Farrell's talk and he took charge again and adjourned the meeting at 10 o'clock.

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DOES NOT HAVE TO TAKE PHYSIC

“Fruit-a-lives” Brought Complete Relief

ASHFORD, New York.

I tried several kinds of physic for over three years and, of course, while I took it every night my bowels would move; but as soon as I stopped taking physic, I would be constipated and would have Piles terribly.

I bought one box of “Fruit-a-lives” and took them. Now I am not troubled any more with Constipation or Piles. “Fruit-a-lives” or “Fruit Laxo Tablets” left an after-effect and now I do not have to use physic!

Mrs. JOHN CAPOZZI.

50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-LIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N.Y.

They tied for first place in the qualifying round of the women's annual golf tournament at the Palm Beach Golf club yesterday.

Miss Collett, recently was defeated by one stroke by Mrs. Galeb P. Fox, a golfer more than 60 years old, in a match at Bellair Heights, Fla. Their scores were 79 and 80.

After appearing in “The Beggars Opera” 293 times, one of the actors recently forgot his lines, at the 899th performance.

Camden Man's Amazing Message to Rheumatics

After Suffering Intense Agony for Many Years—He Wants to Tell Others.

Dr. Briggallie, I simply had to write and tell you what your wonderful Camphorole has done for me. For many years I suffered the tortures of Rheumatism as only those who have it know. At the same time I had a terrible itch and, covered with sores, the sharp pains were so severe I could not sleep. Had to get up and rub and scratch. It almost drove me crazy. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine I was told to take, which only left me worse. I could not bend my knees, I am a steam fitter by trade and had to give up my work. Seeing some advertisement in a paper, I thought I would take another chance and told my daughter to get me a package of Camphorole. You can imagine my surprise after using Camphorole, I started to get better right away. After using two jars of Camphorole I am well and happy and have gone back to work. I shall never forget the day I took a chance on Camphorole. After all the years I suffered, it feels good to be well again. Robert W. Teeddale, 1917 High St., Camden, N. J.

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Come in and Look Around—You Will Not Be Urged to Buy

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Visit This Newly Added Shop Filled With All the Latest and Most Wanted Books.

THE LIFE AND LETTERS OF WALTER H. PAGE

By Burton J. Hendrick

Walter H. Page was American ambassador to Great Britain from 1913 to 1918. His account of his ambassadorship consisting chiefly of intimate, revealing letters written to President Wilson, Colonel Edward M. House and friends forms the basis of this biography.

VERMONT BEAUTIFUL

By Wallace Nutting

Illustrated by the author with three hundred and four photographs covering all the country in Vermont.

WESTWARD HOBOES

By Winifred Trawbridge Dixon

Westward Hoboes offers a new sensation to the traveler by the “arm chair write.” The two Boston girls whose narrative this is, shipped their automobile to Galveston and from there motored up through the Rio Grande country and eventually north through the Rockies and home by the way of the northern states.

ETIQUETTE

The Blue Book of Social Usage By Emily Post

This complete work on polite conduct and everyday ethics is written by a woman whose authority on the subject is beyond dispute to be explained, from the selection of visiting cards to the mystery of eating corn on the cob.

The Bon Marche CHINA SHOP

Third Floor

There's a Tribute to the Gracious Hostess in GIFTS OF FINE CHINA

In such gifts one may give delightful expression to her charming hospitality. And one may compliment her, individual taste if such gifts are selected here, for assortments are all-inclusive, and choosing simple or elaborate is, certain to be satisfactory.

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Clamps \$5

Clamps to mirror. Gives perfect light for shaving. Attaches anywhere—Instantly—to desk, table, bed, etc. Throws clear, pleasant light wherever needed. Step in today and see how it works.

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“What will it cost?” need never concern the purchaser of a Hoover. Because the cost is divided on our easy payment plan, you don't feel it at all.

The amount you need pay now is \$2.00. Your weekly payments are even smaller.

You cannot afford not to own THE HOOVER on such attractive payments.

LET US DEMONSTRATE Just Phone 6700

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



KID PORTLAND WOULD LIKE TO ADD HIS TECHNIQUE TO THE SCENARIOS

GOOD BUSINESS AHEAD

Massachusetts Manufacturers Expend Over \$20,000,000 in Additions and Machinery

According to statistics compiled by George R. Conroy, publicity secretary of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, more than \$20,000,000 were expended by Massachusetts manufacturers in the calendar year 1922, in addition to plants and in the purchase of new machinery. As a result of these expenditures, 11,377 additional workers are employed and 3,733,606 square feet have been added to plant facilities.

In Lowell, according to the figures, 43,525 additional square feet have been added to plant facilities and 350 additional employees given work. The approximate cost of the new buildings and machinery here is given as \$164,400. Andover, with \$26,000 additional square feet of property at a cost of \$3,203,300 stands first in the list of 76 cities quoted in Mr. Conroy's list.

O.M.I. CADET NOTES

There will be a meeting of the O.M.I. Cadets at the Cadet armory next Tuesday, at 7.30. All those interested in the coming prize drill will kindly report to instructor Gargan. All the alumni will meet on the following Thursday evening at the same time.

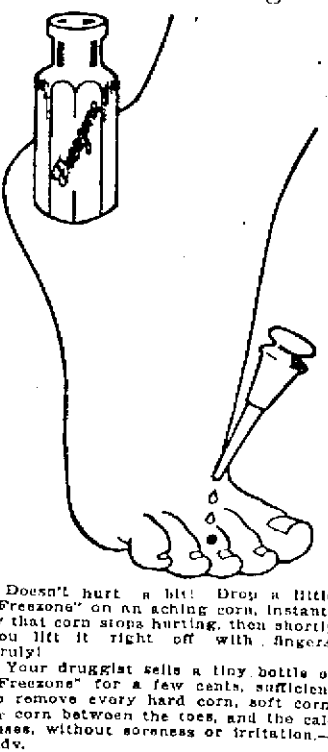
Don't forget the membership drive is on and we expect to have 500 members by the first of June. The coming minstrel show is in rapid progress.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

John A. Simpson has purchased from David Miller the location of block and six garages located on a large tract of land at the corner of Westford and Pine streets.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home

Has no equal for prompt results. Takes the roughest cough, and saves you about \$2.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membrane of the throat and chest. Pine is famous for this purpose.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2 1/2 oz. of Pine in a pint bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make a full pint—more than you can buy ready-made for three times the money. It is pure, good and very pleasant—children take it eagerly.

You can feel this like hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—inflamed membranes—and this Pine and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment.

Pine is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs.

Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pine" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pine Co., St. Wayne, Ind.

LIVER TROUBLE

Dull pains in the back, often under the shoulder blades, poor digestion, heartburn, flatulency, sour risings, pain or uneasiness after eating, yellow skin, mean liver trouble—and you should take

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS

They correct all tendency to liver trouble, relieve the most stubborn cases, and give strength and tone to liver, stomach and bowels. Purely vegetable. Plain or Sugar Coated. 30 YEARS' CONTINUOUS SALE PROVES THEIR MERIT. Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Philadelphia

PRES. HARDING PAYS TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The supreme gift of Abraham Lincoln was not in construction, but rather in preservation. President Harding declared in an address last night at a Lincoln memorial dinner tendered by friends of Lincoln Memorial university of Cumberland Gap, Tennessee.

"Humanity itself," the president declared, "needs to drink of the cup of unfailing confidence which enabled him to stand erect and unshaken and all-courage and criticism which would have crushed any less than a master heart and soul."

"No human story surpasses the fascination and the inspiration of that of Abraham Lincoln. The republic pays tribute tonight, and most of the world is doing him reverence, because in his unshaken faith the world finds its own hope mightily strengthened."

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NIGHT AT ARMORY

"Chamber of Commerce Night" will be observed at the state armory on Westford street this evening, when Battery B officers and battery men will entertain officials and members of the Lowell organization with a luncheon at 7.30 and a formal reception at 8 o'clock. The business men will be invited to inspect the armory from basement to "attic." After the round of the armory, the guests will be assembled by Bugler Coleman in the main hall and battery drills and mounted and dismounted action will be in order for the edification of the visitors. Following drills there will be wrestling and boxing bouts, and the final number will be a Cape Cod scene sure to make a hit with Lowell visitors who were guests of the crack battery men at their summer camp down in Barnstable on the cape, last training season.

JOIE RAY TO AGAIN VISIT HUB

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Joie Ray, the little running marvel of the Illinois A.C., will make one more appearance in this city before the indoor track season closes. It was announced today. He has entered for the Boston mile at the American Legion games here Feb. 22.

The Illinois A.C. already holds two legs on the Boston mile trophy through Ray's previous victories, and if Ray wins this year, the cup becomes the property of the club.

Willie Ritola, 10 mile and cross country champion, who defeated Ray in the 1 1/2 mile event in New York last night has entered for the three mile invitation team race at the Legion meet. His partner will be his clubmate, I. T. T. of the Finnish-American A.C., of New York.

STAFFORDS DANCE TONIGHT

The Stafford club will hold a dancing party at the Highland club tonight and a large attendance is expected. The committee has arranged a most attractive program and has secured Wellington's orchestra of Lawrence for music. Through an error the advertisement sent to the papers for today, appeared in last night's paper. Hence some confusion was caused. But the party is on for tonight and all those who attend are assured of an enjoyable time.

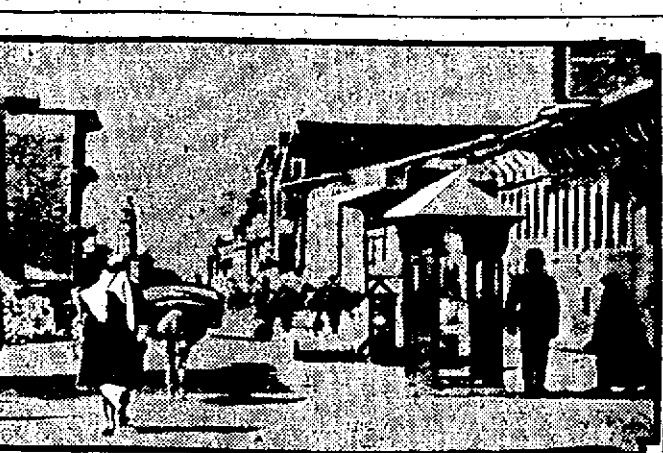


SUPER-HERBES

Huckleberries an inch in diameter and almost as large as plums have been perfected by Dr. F. V. Coville of the department of agriculture at Washington. It is a new development with the development of wild huckleberries for years.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah Green (sometimes called Sarah A. Green, late of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ALFRED W. ST. LAURENT, Adm.
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MOSUL, STORM CENTRE OF ENGLISH-TURK DISPUTE

Fight for control of the valuable oil wells in this district has been the cause of the breaking up of the Lausanne conference. Turk Nationalists refuse to permit English control of this territory. Above is shown the main street of Mosul.



NOTED HUNTSWOMAN TO WED

Lady Doris Blackwood, known for her prowess on the hunting field, is to wed Captain Cecil Gmstan in London in the fall. She is a daughter of the late Marquis of Dufferin and Ava and of the present Lady Howe. Her grandfather was John Davis of New York.

MURDER CHARGE AGAINST THREE MEN DROPPED

MARION, Ill., Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press).—The state late yesterday withdrew the murder charge against three more defendants in the second Horlin mine killings trial, which began yesterday, leaving six to stand trial for the murder of Antonio, Stukovich of Erie, Pa. Bighteen men were indicted for Stukovich's death, but to facilitate trial the charge against nine previously had been dropped.

Three against whom the charge was dropped yesterday afternoon are: Peter Miller, Percy Hall and Dallas McGee. This leaves the following to stand trial for Stukovich's death: Hugh Willis, a miners' union official; Earl Grace, Otis Clark, Philip Fontanetta, Oscar Howard and Jas. Brown.

ENTERTAINMENT AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

"Father Time's Jubilee," a delightful comedy was ably presented by the O.P.S. candidates of St. John's church last evening. The performance was given before a large and appreciative audience in the vestry of the church and Mrs. Henry Quimby and Miss Estelle Moore, who were in charge, were warmly congratulated for the success achieved. Those who took part in the presentation were James H. Kelly, Alice Fielding, Bernice Ordway, Elsie Kelly, Dorothy Wilson, Grace Dillon, Barbara Burkinshaw, Evelyn Patten, Andrew Davis, Molly Barrow, Emily McElroy, Barbara Huml, Willard Williamson, Jeanne Logan, Phyllis Ningsbach, Fricella Kershaw, Louise Macaulay, Edith Willis, Evelyn Barrow, Ruth Quinn, Florence Miller, Bertha McConnell, Gladys Wilson, William Dillon, Rosa Willis, Harriet Quinn, Jeanne Chapman, Winnifred Sanborn, Marie Skene, Phyllis Kershaw and Evelyn Waterhouse. During the evening valentines and candy were on sale and the receipts were very substantial. Misses Edna Parr, Orpha Ingham, Jessie Barrow and Mary Hawley had charge of the sales tables, while Miss Jeanne Chapman, Miss Alice Walker and Miss Ida Ferguson also assisted in the carrying out of the evening's program.

COMBAT TRAIN INSPECTION TONIGHT

The local military combat train will be inspected tonight at its armory, the date having been changed from a week later as first scheduled. The sudden change in the inspection date and program of visitation by inspection officers necessitated hurry calls being sent out today to all members of the train to be prepared for tonight's inspection and armory parade. Many citizens of the city and surrounding towns will want to attend and enjoy the inspection ceremonies and see the drill work performed by expert soldiers of the volunteer line. All equipment issued to members must be turned in for inspection tonight and all members are urged to bring equipment early, as the meeting is set for seven o'clock and the inspection staff hopes to have the program start promptly. The inspecting officer will be Major Hopkins.

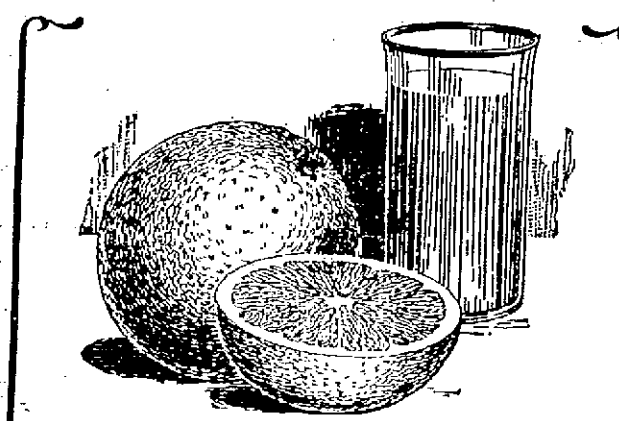
JOINT MEETING IN LIBERTY HALL

The Kimball System, Inc., will celebrate its twentieth anniversary on next Thursday and will join in an observance of the event with the Lowell Advertising club at a meeting in Liberty hall on that evening.

Following the supper, talks will be given on advertising by Mr. Irving Bromley of the C. J. Gude company of New York, who personally originated the "open-book" historical road-sign bulletins, and J. O. Halliday, another well known advertising man. After the speaking a number of surprises will be sprung and an exhibition of Russian dancing will be given by Borghoff Yocsim-Ni, a famous dancer and contortionist.

LADY FRANKLIN COUNCIL

Councillor Lilla Cooper occupied the chair at last evening's meeting of Lady Franklin council, 17, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, which was held in Highland hall. Routine business was transacted and the closing of the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed during which a paper on the life of Abraham Lincoln was read by Sister McIntosh. Refreshments were served by Sister Mary Foster, Sister Pascal, Sister Hubbard, Sister Butler and Sister Myrtle Foster. In the afternoon, whist was played by the members.



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Sealdsweet Florida Oranges

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Thereby Promoting Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

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A helpful Remedy for Constipation and Diarrhoea, and Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP resulting therefrom in Infancy.

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At 6 months old 35 Drops - 40 CENTS

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IF SICK, TAKE "CASCARETS"

Clean Your Bowels! End Headache, Biliousness, Colic, Dizziness, Sour, Gassy Stomach

To clean out your bowels without cramping or overacting, take Cascares at night, the bowels work wonderfully in morning. Cascares never sicken or inconvenience you next day like pills, calomel, salts or oil. Children love Cascares too. 10 cent boxes, also 25 and 50 cent sizes. Any drugstore.—Adv.

ANNUAL REUNION AND BANQUET BY ST. PATRICK'S ALUMNI

Graduates of St. Patrick's School From All Sections of the City Gather at Festive Board—Speeches by Rev. Dr. McGarry, Rev. Bro. Osmond and Others—Alumni Association Elects Officers

From all sections of the city they came last night, young men and old, returning to old St. Patrick's, laden with new dreams, new hopes and new desires to attend the fifteenth annual reunion and banquet of their cherished alma mater where they learned their A. B. C. under the expert tutelage of the good Naxerian brothers.



EUGENE A. FITZGERALD
Chairman

Area of life and cheer was rekindled, the spell of solitude broken, the bonds of comradeship renewed, the vigor and buoyancy of youth freshened and little gossip shapes of song floated about the red brick building in the Acre.

The exercises started at 6.30 when the old "grunts" gathered in the once familiar classrooms and chatted for old time's sake of yesterday and the day before when they sat in the self-same

rooms and studied and played. Shortly after 8 o'clock, the "dinner is served" announcement brought the gathering to the banquet hall. After the banquet the following Alumni association officers were elected: President, John J. Flannery; vice president, Eugene A. Fitzgerald; recording secretary, Daniel Cunningham; and treasurer, Brother Clarence, C.F.A.

Seated at the main table during the banquet were Rev. Dr. Osmond, former superior of St. Patrick's; Bro. Clarence, present superior; Councilor James J. Gallagher; Rev. Thomas J. McDonough; Rev. John J. McGarry, D.C.; John J. Flannery, Eugene Fitzgerald, Rev. James A. Sipple, D.D.; James C. Reilly, Rev. Augustine Hickey, diocesan supervisor of schools, Rev. Charles Barry, O.M.I., and Rev. Norbert, Rev. Dr. McGarry gave the invocation, and Caterer Lydon's men were kept busy for the next half hour.

Eugene A. Fitzgerald, chairman of the banquet committee, opened the post-prandial exercises by extending a cordial welcome to all. He then presented the toastmaster, John J. Flannery, who, in his preliminary remarks, urged a strong permanent organization. A rhapsody of applause greeted Bro. Clarence when he was introduced by the toastmaster as the first speaker of the evening. He said in part:

Rev. Bro. Clarence
"Once again it is my privilege to welcome you in the name of the Naxerian Brothers to our annual reunion and banquet. For fifteen consecutive years, alumni reunions have been held in this hall, and the memories connected with them are still fresh in the minds of many here present tonight. I sincerely trust that this gathering will be equally as impressive, and that all will spend an evening so replete with enjoyment that it will serve as an incentive to attend the reunions of the future."

Tonight, I have been asked to speak of the alumni. I frankly confess my inability to attempt anything on a grand scale, and indeed I doubt the possibility of covering satisfactorily.

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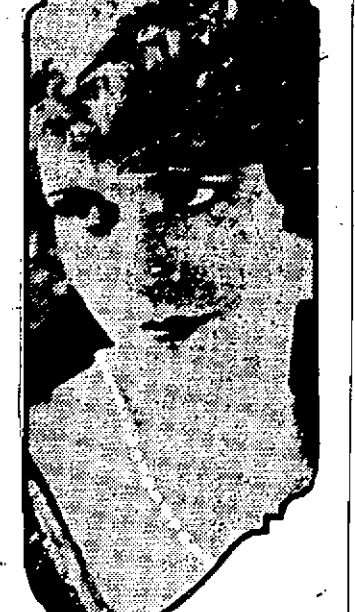


VIOLET OLIVER, WHO BROKE INTO THE MOVIES AFTER HER FACE APPEARED ON RAISIN BOXES.

BY JAMES W. DEAN
NEW YORK, Feb. 13—Saw "By Lantern Light," "Jenkins and the Mutt" and "Moon Blind," one-reel wilderness tales, photographed by Robert Bruce. The most artistic things I ever saw on the screen. . . . Saw Louis Mann and George Sidney in "Oliver and Duke," a stage farce based on the conflict between capital and labor. Thought Sidney very funny. Would make a good movie character, like the late John Bunny. . . . Saw Lloyd Hamilton in "No Luck," best screen comic released in many months. . . . Saw Nazimova (in person) in "Dagmar." She wore vivid clothes. Her acting was brilliant. I have seen better acting than that of Nazimova and her husband, Charles Bryant, in ten-twenty-theatre shows. . . . Saw Lige Conley, Violet Oliver and Peggy O'Neill in "Casey Jones, Jr."



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BETTY FRANCISCO, WHO BROKE INTO THE MOVIES AFTER SHE APPEARED IN THE FOLIAGE.

a movie in which a lot of fun is had on a jerkwater railroad. . . . Saw Laurette Taylor in the movie version of "Peg o' My Heart." She reminded me of both Mary Pickford and Mabel Normand. In her first film she displays more screen technique than many players who have been before the camera for years. . . . Saw Alan Dwan directing Reba Daniels and David Powell in "Glances of the Moon." He photographed one small scene five times before he was satisfied with it. . . . Saw Guy Bates Post on the screen in "Omar, the Tent Maker." I can't agree with other critics that he is an accomplished screen actor. He's not flexible, flaccid enough. . . . Saw George Melford directing Paul McAllister and Nita Naldi in "You Can't Fool Your Wife." Nita seems to have the most brilliant personality in the movies. She is as conspicuous in the studio as a flare in a dark mine. . . . Saw Robert Lieber, president, and Dick Rowland, general manager of First National. They were sitting next other on the back for having signed up Frank Ruggo, the director who made "Humoresque." Ruggo looks more like a calligrapher instructor than a director. . . . Saw Dorothy Dalton, Jose Ruben and Robert Ellis in "Dark Secrets" which film seemed to have been cut out for 14-year-old intelligences. . . . Saw the Moscow Art theatre players again. This time in "The Cherry Orchard." Stankovskiy, the great director, is just an great actor. . . . Saw "Extra," stage story of newspaper life, in which a bar is disclosed in the editorial rooms. Newspaper life was never like that in my experience. . . . Saw "Lady Butterflies." The jokes are funny, but the girls are brilliant.

Violet Oliver's picture became familiar to many thousands through its use in advertising five-cent packages of raisins. Like others, who were first brought to prominence by artists, she



WALTER J. KOSIK

EXAMINATION FOR POSITION HERE

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 13—The Civil Service commission today announced that it will hold an examination on February 28 for the position of storekeeper in the public service department of the city of Lowell.

The position is at present filled by an employee appointed provisionally, pending the holding of the examination. Under the veterans' preference law, the names of veterans who pass the examination will be placed at the head of the eligible list above all other applicants.

The salary paid in the position is \$5.20 per day. The duties have to do with the receiving and issuing of stores belonging to the street, ashes and sewer departments of the city.

The subjects of examination will be as follows: training and experience; 5; arithmetic, 2; letter, 2; special questions, 10, total, 20.

Applicants are required to obtain at least 65 per cent in training and experience in order to become eligible. Successful applicants will be required to file a certificate from a reputable physician as to their physical fitness for the position.

HOYT

Dinner and Dance by Bishop Delany Assembly

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An institution whose purpose is "Patriotism," whose thought and aim are greater solidarity and unanimity in allegiance to the constitution, whose whole-hearted purpose is to keep alive throughout the nation the love of country and obedience to lawfully constituted authority, than tonight, the anniversary of the birth of a typical American, the birthday of that great, noble, outstanding figure of the nation's history, the great emancipator whose life was laid on the altar of freedom and the doctrine that all men are created equal, that inspiration of the just, that martyr to the right of human kind to liberty, Abraham Lincoln.

Touch of Inspiration

"As to the second, Ah! That reflects a touch of inspiration, for it is fitting and proper that this organization of men should recognize and pay homage to the fount from which springs the nobler and better impulses of mankind. Now in keeping with the spirit of Christianity is the reverence of the knight for womanhood. Before the advent of Christ, woman was a slave, a chattel to be bargained for and bought in the open market. Hers was the duty to bear children and do the menial work of labor; hers the destiny to slave, the man might live, and it was not until the announcement to Mary of the Angel of God, that announcement of 'Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee,' that woman came into her own, and from that time forth as the doctrine of Christianity was spread farther and further the position of the woman has grown and grown until today we find her on her rightful pedestal, the equal, if not the superior of man."

"I would not besmirch the intelligence of my audience by dwelling at any length on that hydra-headed monster of iniquity that has sprung up among us, the Ku Klux Klan, which may be dismissed with the realization that they are not more than cheap patriots for profit, for we have not so much to fear from the man who conceals his identity as from the man of prominence in the community who willfully and for his own ends, openly sows the seeds of discontent and produces, in the minds of the people a feeling of suspicion and distrust, but I feel impelled to say one

has entered the movies. Her first appearance is in "Casey Jones, Jr.," a two-reel comedy. In that, Lige Conley takes numerous tumbles. In one instance he is knocked off an engine, yet is uninjured. How do they do it?

CUTS AND FLASHES

"Fog Bound," a "lawful farce" and "The Exciters" will be shown by Famous Players in February.

"Peg o' My Heart" has appeared as a novel, printed play, stage play and film play. How Hugo Felix is composing a score for a light opera version on it.

William Duncan used to be Terry McGovern's trainer. Billy Elmer, who plays in comedies with Bull Montana, used to be Kid McCoy's sparring partner.

Film version of Galworthy's "Loyalties" is to be made in London.

"The Prodigal Son," by Hal Caine has been filmed in 20 reels in London. It is to be exhibited in two parts.

Tom Moore is starred in "The Harbinger," filmed in England by Tom Terriss.

Virginia Valli is to star in a screen version of "Naughty Marietta."

It is reported in Hollywood that Win. S. Hart will return to the screen in March.

Cuticura Talcum is Fragrant and Very Healthful

Sample free of Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass. 25c everywhere.

ANNUAL DANCING PARTY BY KEITH'S USHERS

One of the most delightful dancing parties of the season at the new Memorial Auditorium was the "fifth annual" given last night by the active ushers of the R. P. Keith Theatre and arranged with many elaborate and attractive platform entertainments. In the thirty hall section for the pleasure of hundreds of guests and friends of the well known young men.

The attendance filled the hall dancing floor and there were hundreds of friends seated in the circle observation lines.

After the closing of the playhouse last evening, numerous performers from Keith's theatre came over to entertain the merry dancers, in some cases repeating entire acts for the benefit of the cause. It was a jolly affair with many newskits and novelties provided by the vaudeville friends of the ushers and members of the Bridge street playhouse.

The officers in charge of the "annual" included General Manager Raymond McCoy, Assistant General Manager Francis Connelley, Treasurer Walter J. Kosik, Floor Director Joseph Howe, Assistant Floor Director John A. Pae and Chief Aid Walter Howe.

brief word about the growing tendency to exact, which there are but the outward signs, such as the caste system, repression, contradiction, these mean for humanity an isolation which, however splendid, is but the isolation of the tomb. The fate that overtook Assyria, Babylon and Egypt, the fate of Greece and Rome, the life-in-death that is in the more and India and China will yet be summed up by the historian as the sequence of an organic, racial selfishness, of national submission to the curse of caste. Its malice influence is found in every nation where class is set off from class, where men are divided into hostile camps by racial, religious, political or industrial divisions which teach or permit the exploitation of man by his brother man. This curse of caste has been with us from the beginning. It blighted the soul and branded the brow of Cain when he turned his back on his brother and exalted the murder of Abel with the blasphemy, "Am I my brother's keeper?" And this same curse of caste will be the undoing of America unless it is crushed at once.

Lesson from Oregon

"Let us learn a lesson from Oregon. Let us realize that in a state where the issue was Catholic or anti-Catholic, that where there were only 50,000 Catholic voters in the entire state, more than 100,000 were cast in favor of the Catholic position. Surely from this we can get a ray of hope. From this we can fortify ourselves with optimism for the future. If you ask a little child how much it loves its mother, it will open wide its eyes, stretch its arms and gently lap, so much. Ask the soldier how much he loves his battle box much he loves his country and those outstretched arms stiff in the rigor of death, mutely answer, 'so much.' Ask the crucified Christ on Calvary's hill how much he loved mankind, and those arms outstretched on the infamous gibbet of the cross eloquently answer, 'so much.' Then let 'so much' be the measure of our love for our country and our fellow man; let 'so much' be the extent of our tolerance and our willingness to serve and co-operate, that we will win the hearts of our separated brethren, we will gain their love and respect, we will win them to our cause and should the time come when here in Massachusetts we shall have to face what was faced in Oregon, by anything of like nature, we will have then on our side, standing shoulder to shoulder, side by side with us. We will have completed our journey. Yonder, yearning under the sun-light will lie the faded riches of the Indies and Cathay. Utopia is there, and Eldorado, the Golden Age, and the Paradise we lost. Reverently uplifting and hailing the divine cross, ready for its planting on the promised land, the blessed cross, symbol of sacrifices, pledge of fraternity, upheld by the serene faith of Columbus, fortified by the world-soul which is our inheritance, we win the ideal goal, and then through the ages comes blinding the people of him whom we honor today. That this nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom, and this government of the people by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth."

General Dancing

General dancing, with Sir Knight Wilfrid T. Boulger as floor director, occupied the remainder of the evening, and those of the ladies, who had not previously inspected the club house, looked about the building and were much impressed with what they saw.

The committee on arrangements was:

Another Thankful Woman

Not long ago a woman on Lamson Street, East Boston (Mass.), gave out a praiseworthy letter which appeared in newspapers. She mentioned how about a constipation medicine known as Dr. Trane's Elixir.

Now another resident, Mrs. Rogers, of 103 Falcon street, East Boston, writes: "I still have Dr. Trane's Elixir, and I surely benefit from it. I have a good appetite and eat everything I want. I could not get along as good as I do if I did not take Dr. Trane's Elixir. It is surely a wonderful medicine. I never felt any better than now since I took the Elixir."

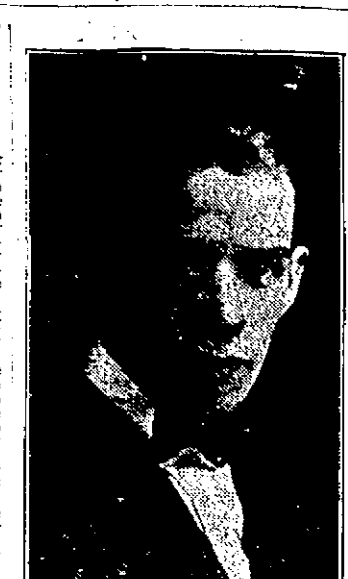
In East Boston and everywhere else there are women, men and children who, also, can be made better in health by using Dr. Trane's Elixir, the True Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. A favorite laxative for over 71 years! 40c—60c—\$1.20—Adv.

SULPHUR CLEARS UP ROUGH OR RED SKIN

Face, Neck and Arms Easily Made Smooth, Says Specialist

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Menthol-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins to clear a soothed irritated skin and heat eruptions such as rash, pimples and ringworm.

It seldom fails to remove the torment and discomfort, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly should obtain from skin trouble. Apply a small jar of Menthol-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.—Adv.



RAYMOND MCCOY

Arthur J. O'Neill, chairman; Sir Knights Andrew Molloy, Charles J. Landers, William H. Gallagher, Wilfrid T. Boulger, Thomas J. O'Donnell, J. Eugene Mullin, Edward E. Saunders, John T. Buckley, John C. McQuaid and Michael A. Keefe, secretary.

The officers of the assembly are: Arthur J. O'Neill, faithful navigator; John T. Buckley, faithful captain; William H. Gallagher, faithful admiral; Andrew Molloy, faithful pilot; Rev. James P. Lynch, faithful friar; P. J. Finnegan, faithful controller; Michael Quinn, faithful burser; John C. McQuaid, faithful seer; John J. Flannery, inside sentinel; George B. Fontaine, outside sentinel.

Silver Jubilee Celebration (Continued from Page Three)

while 15 per cent is utilized for public works such as roads and bridges, 10 per cent of the taxes is spent for charity, under the widow and pension act and other charitable systems. The interest on the state's indebtedness takes up 8 per cent, and the maintenance of the state national guard, 5 per cent. The greater part of the dollar, he said, is spent on public institutions. Mr. Aikin referred to the state as a \$30,000,000 corporation and said the corporations turn over to

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The Safest and Best Family Medicine

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Officers of the club are as follows: Bout D'Amie, president; Alfred

its treasury 2 1/2 millions of dollars in taxes every year, while the taxes derived from insurance companies amount to 2 1/2 millions. The speaker also spoke at length on the manner in which the business is being conducted at the state house.

Other Speakers

The next speaker was J. Armand Gellinas, editor of L'Espresso, who spoke on "The Press." Mr. Gellinas paid a flattering tribute to The Sun, referring to it as Lowell's greatest newspaper, and then spoke at length on the press in general. He complimented the organizers of the club and its past and present officers and then went back to his subject. In the course of his remarks Mr. Gellinas made reference to Clemenceau, the tiger of France, who, he said, entered the journalistic career and successfully carried out his mission in exposing political schemes, which are detrimental to his country. The result was that he was arrested and jailed, but nevertheless from his cell he kept up his fight. Gellinas finally achieved his aim and became premier of France. "The Press," continued the speaker, "is what the public makes it, and I will say that the press of Lowell is as good as can be found anywhere."

Mr. Gellinas responded to the toast, "The Ladies," and his address was highly appreciated especially by the members of the fair sex. In the course of his address the speaker made reference to the great part played in the World War by the members of the fair sex, particularly those connected with the Red Cross, the army nurses' corps and all who were afflicted with sewing circles. He closed by saying the lady is the rose of the universe and one that should be loved and cherished.

The last speaker of the evening, but not the least, was Mr. Leptus, former president of the club, who spoke at length on the work accomplished by the club since its inception. Mr. Leptus told of the meeting of the five charter members, and said their aim in forming the club was the political welfare of their fellow countrymen. The first officers of the club, he said, were Caliste Dozols, president; Achille St. Pierre, first vice president; Joseph Provost, second vice president; Seraphin Duverger, secretary; Edmond Gosselin, assistant secretary; Telesphore Mulo, treasurer; Joseph Duverger, first sentinel and Pierre Gagne, second sentinel.

"Mr. Dozols has passed away," said Mr. Leptus, "and Mr. Seraphin Duverger is in full liver, while Mr. Joseph Duverger is in Montreal. All the others are still in Lowell and are members of the organization."

The speaker then reviewed the work accomplished by the club in the line of naturalization and also told of its progress both financially and in membership.

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Harnois, vice president; Arthur Robillard, recording secretary; Arthur Levoie, treasurer; Charles Lupien, Achille St. Pierre, Philippe Bourque, Alfred Genest, Arthur Turcotte, Urgel Pavrean, directors; Charles Grenier, sergeant-at-arms.

The committee in charge of last evening's festivities was as follows: Honorable Artists, chairman; Joseph Robitaille, vice chairman; J. C. Bourque, secretary; A. J. Grenier, treasurer; Charles Rochette, F. Barrette, George Caron, A. Bordenau, O. Pineault, J. L. Brassard, Lucien Lussier, Edmond Pelletier, Henri Blanchette and Andre Bouthillier, press committee; A. J. Grenier, J. C. Bourque, Lucien Lussier and A. Bouthillier, reception committee; George Caron, Lucien Lussier, O. Pineault and A. Bouthillier.

WHEN NERVOUS PEOPLE ARE PALE

It Is Evidence That the Nervousness Results From Thin Blood

Nervousness often results from malnutrition. The blood does not supply the elements that the nerves require and they become inflamed. At the same time there are often other evidences that the blood is thin such as pallor, indigestion, a general feeling of listlessness. In such cases a tonic is required which will make the blood rich and red.

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MOTOR VEHICLE REGULATION

Perhaps it is to be expected that there should be a large number of bills before the legislature providing for new legislation relative to automobiles. First of all, comes the proposition for a gasoline tax, supported in some quarters as a means of securing additional funds for the maintenance of public highways. Truck owners have much interest in a bill to place motor trucks on through routes under the jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission. This would deprive the owners of much of the freedom they now enjoy. A stubborn fight is expected on this bill, which will come up before the committee on street railways. It is a well known fact that street railway companies as well as the railroads realize that the motor truck, whether as a jitney or as a carrier of freight, is cutting into the business of both.

The question of compulsory insurance is another matter on which the legislature will have to take action for or against. This matter was up last year and rejected on the ground that if put through, as proposed, the insurance companies could dictate in certain cases who could own and drive an automobile. Under the plan embodied in a bill this year, the state would charge every motorist ten dollars when registering in exchange for a bond to cover liability for injuring someone on the road. That would be cheap insurance, but it would mean \$1,000,000 revenue to the state to be used for the highways or any other purpose.

There is also a measure to increase registration fees which has been favorably reported after a hearing and is likely to pass unless the owners of motor vehicles bring influence to bear upon their senators and representatives. It would seem that registration fees are quite high enough at present as the legislature's regulations relative to head and tail lights have caused several changes, all of which have called for additional expense.

Another fool bill provides that every operator shall have his picture attached to his license in a particular way. This would be a good law for the photographers as it would call for 300,000 pictures of a particular kind—almost as arbitrary as the insistence upon a particular kind of tail light.

The legislature will be asked to devise some method of removing the snow from the highways so as to keep them clear for motor traffic. Nothing can be done this year; but it is probable that an arrangement will be put in force laying down some rule of action for next year.

With the rapid increase in motor vehicles and the difficulty of proper legal regulation of their use, it is not surprising that a great volume of auto bills has reached the legislature. Unless the interested parties look after these matters, some very obnoxious measures are liable to be placed upon the statute books.

JUSTICE FOR THE NEGRO

Everybody who believes in the principles for which Abraham Lincoln stood can heartily approve the appeal made Sunday by Rev. Percy E. Thomas for justice and fair treatment for the negro race. The abolition of slavery for which Lincoln fought so bravely would be in vain if in the present age any general sentiment of opposition or racial bitterness should be allowed to prevail against the negro race. We have reached a perilous era in our history when an organization having for one of its avowed objects the suppression or subjection, if not the expulsion, of the negro race, is exploited over a large portion of the country as a patriotic duty. If we are to accept the Lincoln idea of American patriotism, we must reject that which would again enslave the negro or even deprive him of any part of his rights. If the negroes are to rise in the scale of civilization, they must have the opportunity, and it is such organizations as we have referred to and such racial bitterness as Rev. Mr. Thomas deprecates, that keeps them in ignorance. The negro is capable of culture, mental, physical and moral development if given the proper opportunities. To see that he is given these opportunities for advancement and to help him onward is the duty of the American government today; but diametrically opposed to this is a movement against the negro, the purpose of which is to deprive him of the rights and privileges guaranteed him under the constitution.

AND IN ENGLAND, TOO

It is reported by cable that a "strange secret society" known as the "Order of the Crusader," which seems to "blend with an antique ritual certain points of resemblance to the Ku Klux Klan and the Fascist of Italy," is springing up in England. It was founded actually about two years ago, and while the leaders refuse to tell the number of its members, it claims to have them in "every section of Great Britain."

Dispatches announce that the avowed object of the society is to "bring back the spirit of the crusader to everyday life." But meetings are held in Ku Klux Klan fashion behind closed doors; on ceremonial occasions the members are dressed in striking garbs with crimson robes bearing large white crosses on the left side, and other members adopt a black gown with a white surplice over it, on the breast of which is a red cross.

We learn also that in the ritual a sword is carried to symbolize "service," aprons are worn to represent "chivalry," and banners are carried to express "loyalty." The initiation ceremonies resemble those of the southern Ku Klux Klan of malignant fame. Mys-

tery is enthroned always and meetings are held in strange places and in secret.

Is the strange Ku Klux fever of hidden deeds and unlawful acts and, as has happened, mysterious crimes, spreading to England also? Surely these "crusaders" with the imperious ways of sinister design ought not to flourish under the name of "Knights of the Cross!"

The spirit of the old crusaders who aimed high though they sometimes failed to attain their ends, which were inspiring, should not be resurrected by devotees of law-breaking secret bands parading under strange clan titles and pretending to be patriotic citizens and loyal subjects of a free country.

LETTING DOWN THE BARS

Those anxious industrial magnates who are so suddenly seeking to have the immigration law bars let down so as to flood the United States once more with a new supply of cheap foreign labor, must be taken somewhat aback by the statement, backed up by concrete facts, issued several days ago by William J. Spencer, secretary-treasurer of the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor.

Mr. Spencer, equipped with accurate figures, declared emphatically that the number of building trades artisans now within the United States is somewhat greater than can be employed under current construction activities. Allegations that a change in present immigration laws is necessary to admit more qualified laborers from Europe, he declares to be "preposterous and based upon gross ignorance of the facts." With perhaps two exceptions, the bricklayers and plasterers, Mr. Spencer asserts, the building crafts are now encountering some degree of unemployment. It is not good policy, however, for any building craft to take advantage of a scarcity of help to push up the wage scale to an unreasonable figure. That will cause builders to postpone building operations and leave many of the crafts idle.

DINOSAUR

The skull of a dinosaur, giant beast said to have lived five million years ago, is dug up by scientists of American Museum of Natural History.

Some of these prehistoric monsters were as large as a small bungalow. They became extinct by wandering into swamps from which they could not extricate themselves. Aesop could have written a good fable about this, applying it to human careers. The moral would be: Watch your step, every minute.

There is some talk of abolishing the Public Service Board and going back to the old street committee plan of conducting the business of the departments now under its control. That step would be just as wise as if the head of a great department store went out to the street and at random asked five or six men to come in and run his store.

President Harding in trying to have the Ship Subsidy bill passed by congress is so knocked and blocked that he hardly can tell just where he is going to wind up with his pet measure. He wants to save the merchant marine and in that he is working for the best interests of the entire country.

Rev. Dr. Grant and his various defenders who stand for "liberty in religion" can have all the liberty they want, but not within the ranks of a denomination whose tenets they mock and despise. He had better gather his agnostic followers together and form a church of his own.

A Medford married couple visited a hardware store and picked out a snow shovel. The purchase wasn't decided upon until the wife had "hefted" each shovel displayed so she could find the one that best suited her. Possibly the husband doesn't have time to bother with such trifles.

Mrs. Anna M. Riley, of Claremont, N. H., is 36 years old, but she is vigorously writing a history of New Hampshire. We hope she will be able to complete her task. The result ought to be highly instructive as well as interesting to all New Englanders.

This prolonged spell of cold weather has intensified the suffering from the coal shortage. The families that have to depend upon wood and occasional sixteen pound bags of coal to heat their homes are the chief victims.

Stelmets, the Schenectady creator of thunderbolts, told his audience at the Boston chamber of commerce the other day nothing really new, but he knew what he was talking about apparently.

It is Turkey that now defies the powers of Europe and orders them out of the bay of Smyrna. Is it not regrettable that they are not in a position to order Turkey bag and baggage out of Europe?

In the high price of sugar, the people are having an illustration of the beneficent effect of the republican tariff.

The street railway is doing the best it can under the trying circumstances. Have a little patience.

German marks are now worth—but why bother going into infinitesimal decimals?

The expense of battling snow storms this winter will be a severe drain upon the city treasury.

SEEN AND HEARD

The main trouble with the young people of today is, they are the young people of tonight.

Well-formed girls get before the public eye much more often than the well-informed girls.

The old thing about having a wife is also always wants her husband to quit being so foolish.

A man gets soaked by the bootlegger and gets soaked on the booze and still the judge soaks him.

In order that he might go back to his farm and care for his thoroughbred stallion which has not been out of the barn since he was convicted, Gov. Blaine, of Wisconsin, has pardoned a man serving a year for prohibition violation.

According to statistics released by two professors in Indiana university, more famous women are bred in New England than in any other section of the country, this section yielding 3.3 noteworthy women to every 100,000 of the population.

A Thought
Fortify yourself with moderation; for this is an impregnable fortress.—Epictetus.

Being a Good Boy
"My dad always encourages me to be a good boy," said Tommy proudly. "Does he?" "That's a good thing," exclaimed Aunt Mary. "And does he give you anything when you're a good boy?" "No, he gives me something when I'm not," was the rueful reply.

Strict Upbringing
"Uncle Pete, how old are you?" "I'm close to a hundred, son," said Chigerville's oldest inhabitant. "Been using tobacco all your life, haven't you?" "Up to the time I was 10 years old I never had a chew in my mouth,"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Met His Match
The very practical and personable young man was making his proposal. No sentiment with him, he wanted a sensible understanding. "Can you wash dishes?" he asked the girl of his heart. "O, yes," said the girl. "Can you wipe them?"—Buffalo Express.

Advertising George
A visitor, touring the city of Washington, was being towed about by a cable. The cable, "Pa, ave," was on the lamp-posts. "Why do you Washingtonians name your avenues 'Pa ave'?" Such a queer name! The native replied: "Because Washington was the Pa of his country."—Judge.

A Good Idea
"Your handwriting is very bad, indeed," said a man to a young college friend who was more addicted to sport than study; "you really ought to learn to write better." "Yes," returned the young man; "it's all very well for you to tell me that, but if I were to write better, people would be finding out how I spell!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Then He Flopped
Fisher, an ardent angler, was proudly exhibiting to his young wife his day's catch.

"Aren't they beautiful?" she said enthusiastically. "But, dear, I've been so anxious for the last hour!" "Foolish child," he said gently, "cussing her to worry needlessly. Why, what could have happened to me?" "O, I didn't worry about you, dear," she replied. "But give us late I was afraid before you got back to town the fish shops would be closed."

The Diplomat's Bank
The crowds in the stores had made a little grouchy and wifey was getting a little peevish herself. She was sitting in the bank of the department and he picked up a volume. "This book might make a suitable present," said he. "It is entitled 'The Diplomat's Bank.' Written by whom?" he demanded his better half. "By some diplomat," he answered. "Um," she returned. "Well, he snappish that about it?" "I thought it might have been written by some wife."

She Should Worry
The fair creature gave no heed, but to her lessons gave no heed. On the campus a group of female companions had her under discussion. It was all in a silly, declared one. "So silly she'll never graduate," asserted another. "Never mind," remarked a third. "She won't need to." There was a big flutter over this. "Why not?" chimed the chorus. "One of the professors is going to marry her."

Breaking Out Bonds in New Hampshire
Life is not as it used to be. Up here among the granite hills, Olden's men are in some degree, And each year adds a few more thrills.

Still, when it comes to winter time We wail and do a lot of things— No use to fret New Hampshire's climate Was planned for cold and ice and snow.

But when the wind gets round north-east, And all night long it blows a gale, The road is up and man and beast Get out to catch up the trail. So first thing, while the sun is low, We hitch the horses to the sled And call on everyone to go And shovel through the drifts ahead.

We get six horses if we can, And chain beneath the sled a log, And all ride on, both boy and man, And off we go a steady jog. Wherever in our course we find A drift heaped high by wintry blast, We fall right to with willing, And make the snow fly thick and fast.


Sometimes it takes two days or more To break the roads so teams may pass, And then perhaps the winds will roar No use to get discouraged when The storms come every other day— We just start in and break again, With will as strong and heart as ray.

So life may change among the hills, But when it comes to breaking roads, We have not added many thrills, We don't use oxen now, and goads, But everybody likes the fun Of hitching up to clear the trail, And working till the job is done— We have to for the rural man.

—CHARLES H. CHERRY, In New York Sun.

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Tom Sims Says

The influenza germ has been discovered and will be isolated. It brought it all on itself.

Just to show you how ignorant Japanese girls are, 3000 Japanese men in Korea can't find wives.

Women jurors in Pittsburgh want a smoking room. We thought all rooms in Pittsburgh were smoking rooms.

There has been an earthquake in Alaska, which undoubtedly was caused by some seal hunter's lies.

The bath business is said to be good. A bath is what you plant and wonder what you have planted.

They do funny things with radio. Some people even make money.

A dog in Washington smokes cigars. Better watch him or he will learn to shoot pool.

Oldest national bank in the U. S. burned, but being in practice they saved all the money.

King Tutankhamen had been gone 3400 years, so it can't make much difference how you pronounce his name.

Florida (Ill.) woman is suing her maid for stealing her husband. These girls will take anything you leave around the house.

We have auto schools. Why not pedestrian schools?

The flaxseed crop was short last season. Be very careful about getting things in your eyes.

An American will try to win the world's snooker billiards championship, whatever that is.

Bandits are holding up street cars in Indianapolis, but that isn't what makes them late here.

Our kick against sleeping is it takes one so long to do it.


A congressman wants to protect orders, which always have been a liability about speaking for themselves.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

It is to be regretted that Lowell Textile school athletes did not engage in aquatic sports until this year. Last Saturday, for the first time in the history of the school, a swimming meet with Boston university was held in the local X. M. tank and to the surprise of everybody, Lowell won the meet handily, capturing every event with the exception of the plunge for distance. The times in the various events were exceptionally fast, in fact much faster than the ordinary. All of which speaks volumes for Lowell's merit. Having set an example, it is hoped by many that the high school will follow in the near future, and go in for the swimming game.

Miss Mary C. Joyce, teacher of elocution at the high school, deserves all the praise she receives for the masterly way that she handles her pupils in getting them ready for plays, and exercises at the high school. "Only 33," the comedy which was just presented by the pupils of the school, was put on just as well as it could possibly have been. Each student in the play knew his or her part without any prompting and each one enunciated clearly and acted well. It is some job to get young people to this stage of perfection and Miss Joyce does it year in and year out. Directors of plays are known for their wisdom about the time of dress-rehearsal but Miss Joyce is just the same calm teacher that she always is.

Speculation was rife, at yesterday morning's assembly of the high school students as to the winner of the \$5 gold piece donated by the Lowell gas light company for turning in the best solution of the display shown in one of the windows of the company several weeks ago. The winner was Miss Vartouhi Dierian, a little Armenian girl, a freshman in the high school. Miss Dierian has been in this country but a few years, and before entering high school, she attended the Moody grammar school. She is recognized as a bright, capable and intelligent scholar, and her success in winning the coveted prize is well-deserved.



WHAT IS HER?

"Rags" is his name and he's the mystery dog of Philadelphia. The Kent Tugboat has been in the harbor for 3300 to the person named Rags. It seems to be a cross between an albatross and a sheep dog with a coat like a French poodle but the size of a colt.

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POLICE HUNT FOR KIDNAPPERS

Sister Cecilia Taken From Notre Dame Academy in Frederick, Md. to Baltimore

Escaped From House After Being Held Captive for Several Hours

FREDERICK, Md., Feb. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) Policemen in this city and Baltimore were searching today for a mysterious man and woman, who are believed to have kidnapped Sister Cecilia, a music teacher at the Notre Dame academy, yesterday and taken her to Baltimore, where she has been held captive for several hours, and returned to the institution in a dazed condition.

Taxi-Driver Held
Stewart Cathcart, Baltimore taxi-driver, who brought Sister Cecilia to Frederick in his car last night, was locked up in jail, at the request of Father William J. Kane, overseer of the convent. While not believing Cathcart to be implicated in the kidnapping, the priest stated that he gave evasive answers to many questions.

According to Sister Cecilia's story, as related to Father Kane, she was struck over the head by the man, and drugged. She is still in bed today, suffering from fright. She was able to give Father Kane but a meagre description of the strangers, and said she could not describe the house to which she was taken in Baltimore, as in her hurry to leave, the dwelling she did not properly observe her surroundings.

In State of Collapse
Cathcart, according to Father Kane, at first refused to take the sister as his passenger, as the fare from Baltimore to Frederick was \$30, and Sister Cecilia had only \$11 with her, which she found in a pocket of the overcoat she wore. On learning that the fare would be paid in Frederick, however, Cathcart consented to take her there. On arriving here, Sister Cecilia was in a state of collapse, due mostly to fright. Physicians who examined her, Father Kane said, declared she had not been assaulted.

Sister Cecilia, whose age on the convent records is given as 31, was formerly Miss Maria Whalen of Verona, Pa.

120 LIVES LOST IN EXPLOSION

But Two of the 122 Miners in Dawson Mine at Time of Blast Survived

Owners Make Report After Complete Exploration—14 Bodies Still Missing

DAWSON, N. M., Feb. 12. (By the Associated Press.)—The lives of the 122 miners in Dawson mine, who were killed in a terrific explosion occurred there last Thursday afternoon survived. That was definitely established late last night, when the Phelps-Dodge corporation, owners of the mine, announced it had been completely explored and all possibility of any of the entombed men still being alive had vanished.

The known death toll early today stood at 106. Fourteen still lie in the tunnels in which they were working when the impact of the explosion smothered their lives.

Some of the missing bodies are believed to be under the wreckage in the mine and excavation has been started to recover them. The work of recovering all of the 14 may take several weeks, company officials declared.

The cause of the blast still is a mystery, according to F. G. Bennett, general manager of the company. When mining will be resumed in mine No. 1 is uncertain, but company officials estimate the time at from three to six months.

Reunion and Banquet by St. Patrick's Alumni
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the careers of the many thousands who have been educated in St. Patrick's in the last forty-one years. Even should I choose to be specific and pick from the thousands those only who have gained eminent distinction, the task would still be so great that I yet would doubt my ability to cope with it. Another point to be considered is that many of our alumni are living in places far distant from Lowell.

Have in mind one young man, a St. Patrick's graduate who is now a successful business man in California. But wherever they are we are assured of their loyalty to their Alma Mater. And I feel sure that those absent, who know of this gathering, are with us in spirit here tonight, and only regret

Berton Braley's Daily Poem ARCADEY

There's many a road to Arcady,
For it isn't a realm defined.
By sharp and accurate boundary,
It's a state of the heart and mind;
And the path to my Arcady seems strange,
Except when you understand
The varied routes that a man may range
To get to that joyous land.

I start on my trip to Arcady
In an closely packed subway train,
Instead of sauntering blithe and free
The turf of a fairy lane;
Then I walk ten blocks through the noisy street,
A clattered-up thoroughfare,
But I know at the end of my walk I'll greet
My Arcady waiting there.

I climb four flights and I take my key
And open the dingy door
And—there is my pleasant Arcady
With riches of joy in store;
A place with happiness glorified,
For I might have told you that
I find my Arcady inside
The walls of a city flat.

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TO GO 'ROUND WORLD IN MAKE-SHIFT BOAT

William Roland, 42, a seafaring man of the old school, is getting ready to circle the globe in his little makeshift, sloop-rigged vessel, which is scarcely larger than a good-sized row-boat. He built the boat himself and handles it alone.

The impossibility of being with us in person as well, to experience the keen pleasure of renewing old acquaintances.

For the sake of brevity I will turn aside from the wider view of the subject and state pointedly, that I consider this gathering tonight representative of the types of men who have been educated in St. Patrick's school. I do so with pardonable pride. As we look over this assembly tonight we can see the body represented in the sacred ministry, and in religious orders. We can see men who have become eminent in the leading professions; we see others who are so associated by their fellow citizens, that they have been chosen as leaders and placed in positions of trust in both city and state. We see successful business men and many sturdy representatives of the average citizen. Finally we see the youth who has not yet taken up life's battle, but who may easily draw inspiration from those mentioned above.

And the loyalty so plainly manifest here tonight is a characteristic which is common to all. I believe that among the things that will prove a source of real comfort and encouragement to our new beloved pastor, one of the chief will be the realization that the big majority of men in the parish are, through their early Catholic training in St. Patrick's, men who know what is expected of them as good Catholics and who live their lives in accordance with these principles. In closing I will say fervently God bless the Alumni of St. Patrick's school. The boys as a whole have been very successful; they have given a good account of themselves and we're proud of them."

Rev. Dr. McGarry
Rev. John J. McGarry, D.C.L., pastor of St. Patrick's church, followed Brother Dinneen, and expressed his appreciation of the wonderful reception accorded him. He congratulated those present for being products of a parish school and pledged his promise to do everything in his power to further a permanent organization of alumni.

The diocesan supervisor of schools, Rev. Augustine Hickey, S.T.L., voiced his personal pleasure at being present and gave an inspiring talk on Catholic education, saying that "Catholic schools exist that government of the people, for the people and by the people shall not perish from the earth, and

BEAUTY SPECIALIST TELLS SECRET

A Beauty Specialist Gives Home-Made Recipe to Darken Gray Hair

Mrs. M. D. Gillespie, a well known beauty specialist of Kansas City, recently gave out the following statement regarding gray hair:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home that will darken gray hair and make it soft and glossy. To a half-pint of water add a ounce of bay-rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and 2 ounce of glycerine.

"These ingredients can be purchased at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger. It does not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."—Adv.

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6 p. m.—Live stock market report on Farmington. Live stock market and butter and eggs prices.

6 p. m.—Late news and sports.

6.45 p. m.—Boston police reports.

7 p. m.—Cord practice.

8 p. m.—Continuing program: Week-end business report, selected news, and sports.

8.30 p. m.—Continuing program: Week-end business report, selected news, and sports.

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12.30 p. m.—Continuing program: Week-end business report, selected news, and sports.

1 p. m.—Continuing program: Week-end business report, selected news, and sports.

1.30 p. m.—Continuing program: Week-end business report, selected news, and sports.

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Belgians already have occupied important towns of West and East Flanders.

London Express Dusseldorf dispatch says.

British attention is fixed on problem of relations with French as parliament reassembles.

Official Constantinople declares Turkey at Smyrna show more conciliatory spirit and peace outlook brightens.

Bad feeling grows between French and Germans in occupied Ruhr cities and Berlin apparently expects a serious break.

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GREAT MERMAIDS' RACE—PLACE YOUR BETS!

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selections are popular and choice, the male gives a solo of finished work. These experts are presenting a "parade" on the beach, which is a long and a musical ability that knows not of any other and produces it.

"The Spirit of the Dance" brings the famous Gordon Stewart sisters with dancing school and academy, and sometimes seen at the high-priced symphony hall exhibitions on special occasions. They are undoubtedly inclined as well and therefore know how to do their stepping in proper fashion without effort or break. Eddie Gold, singing light as an accompanist, presides neatly at the piano.

Altha, known as the "Up-in-the-Air" girl, is doing as well as good-looking and shapely. Also an equilibrist and trapeze performer of extra class, hanging from the end of a rope and rapidly twisting rope is a new feature in variety offering.

Journeys' father return with new cat from the ocean with fish and mackerel. Pathe News shows into pictures of the "cat zone" and low-lying pictures of famous seashores. There are also good "scenic" with real "highly" getting bathed and fed. Topics of the also billed to round out the opening in the screen line.

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COAL BARONS FINED BY THE FRENCH

Crowds at Essen greeted as heroes the returning coal magnates upon their return to the Ruhr district after having been fined by the French. Left to right: Director-General Kesten of Stuhlhausen mine, fined 15,032 francs; Solicitor Grimm, who defended the mine owners before the court-martial; Director-General Spindler of the Viktoria Matthias mine, fined 47,742 francs.

the holy world, offered the life of Jesus Christ as a profound example to be followed and ended by saying that all must help to save men's immortal souls.

LADIES' NIGHT AT THE YORICK CLUB

The Yorick club observed its annual ladies' night reception and dance last evening at the club in Dutton street, attended by nearly two hundred members and guests. A brilliant affair socially, the event was marked by extreme hospitality on the part of the

New York police headquarters reports a cockroach, which became so addicted to morphine that he could take two grains daily, more than enough to kill two men.

A glaucous tree recently found in New Zealand, has a trunk 25 feet in diameter. Its age is estimated at 2000 years.

club members and it was one of the most successful of the many similar events conducted by the club.

followed by general dancing in the billiard room. A buffet supper was served from 10.30 to midnight and a

Making Weight Bane of Fighters



FRANCIS HUSSEY

TRACK COACHES PREDICT BIG THINGS FOR HUSSEY

Leading track coaches predict that Francis Hussey has the makings of the world's best sprinter. Hussey is a student at Stuyvesant high school in New York. Although a youngster who has still much to learn about the sprint game, he has already stepped 100 yards in 9-10 seconds.

PORTLAND WINS GAME TO FORCE SHOWDOWN ON BENTON CASE

Defeats New Bedford Team
8 to 4—Providence Beats Worcester

POLO LEAGUE STANDING	Won	Lost	Pts.
Worcester	32	20	52.5
Providence	30	22	50
New Bedford	29	23	48.5
Lowell	27	25	46.5
Portland	25	27	44.5

GAMES TONIGHT

Portland at Lowell.
Worcester at New Bedford.

PORTLAND, Feb. 12.—New Bedford weakened by the absence of Dunfee at center, fell victim to Portland here last night. 8 to 4. Davies was in Dunfee's position and Yalc took up the second rush job. The combination work of Williams and Thompson was a factor in the victory for the locals. The score:

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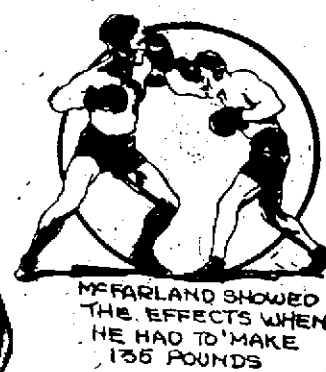
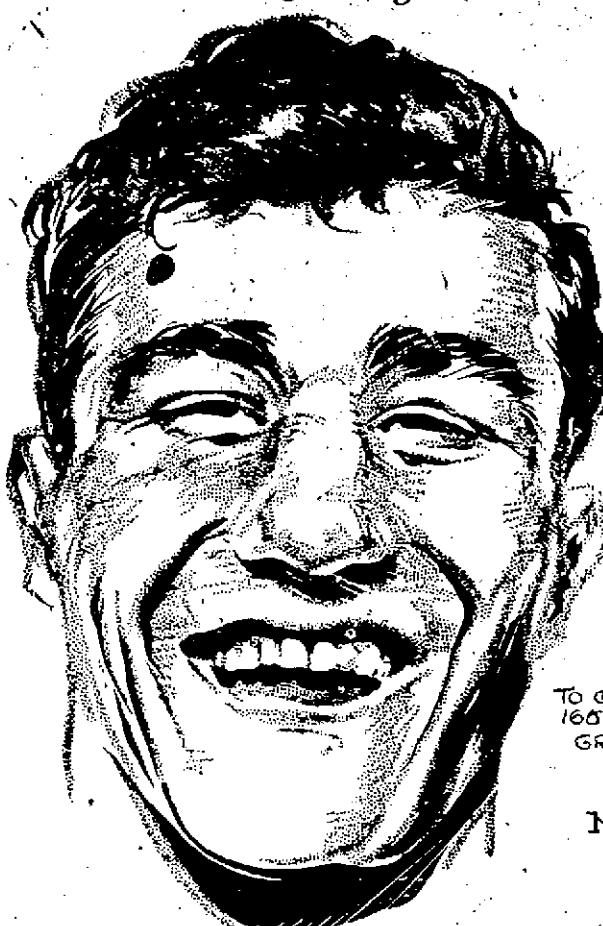
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TO GET LOWER THAN 165 USUALLY SAPS GREB'S STRENGTH

NATURE HAS BEEN UNKIND TO JOHNNY DUNDEE

ST. BILLY EVANS

Nature on deals unkindly with some of the greatest of fighters. In making such a statement I have in mind the weight of the various fighters. The great fighters I have referred to are Johnny Dundee, Mike Gibbons, Harry Greb and Mickey McFarland.

Johnny Dundee had one shot at the featherweight title, meeting Johnny McFarland. Dundee won the championship from Mike Gibbons.

Dundee, of course, was forced to make the featherweight limit. He aspired to the weight and was much weakened. Despite this he forced McFarland to a 20-round draw decision.

Charles Herzog of Baltimore also is in the city, awaiting the meeting. His opponent with Benton, which originated in a consultation of choice of the fighter in 1922 that Herzog had sought to bring him to "throw" a game. It is said to be at the bottom of the row.

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STANLEY TZAZIAK WINS WRESTLING BOUT

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The match was very interesting while it lasted. Tzaziak weighed 240 pounds and Youska tipped the beam at 240.

When the pair got into action the going was fairly even but as the bout went on the Polish heavyweight began to show his greater weight.

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LOWELL VS. PORTLAND ACTION PRODUCERS ON MOODY CLUB CARD

Rival Polo Quintets Meet Here Tonight—Worcester Papers Praise Lowell

The Lowell polo team which started a drive last Friday to emerge from the cellar and which accomplished its objective on Saturday night will continue its efforts to keep moving tonight at the Crescent rink with Portland.

Captain Harkins is not satisfied with just getting out of the last position, but will keep plugging away until he has won the match.

There are to be four eight-round events and a curtain raiser of six stanzas. In the opening event Tommy Dalton and Frankie Purdard will have it all again.

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Sixty-Year-Old Gopher Defeats Woman Champ



MRS. CALED FOX

It didn't take the year 1923 very long to produce a sport sensation. If so happens that golf came to the front with the first unusual happening in sports.

Reference is made to the recent defeat of Helen, Pl. of Queens, Collet, by "Miranda" Fox.

In the Hellenic tourney, Mrs. Fox turned in a card of 10-33 for a 72, while the best Miss Collet could do was a 41-36 for an 80.

Mrs. Caled Fox is one of the outstanding figures in the women's golf world. She is past 60 years of age, has been playing the game for 10 years, has been playing the game for 10 years, has been playing the game for 10 years.

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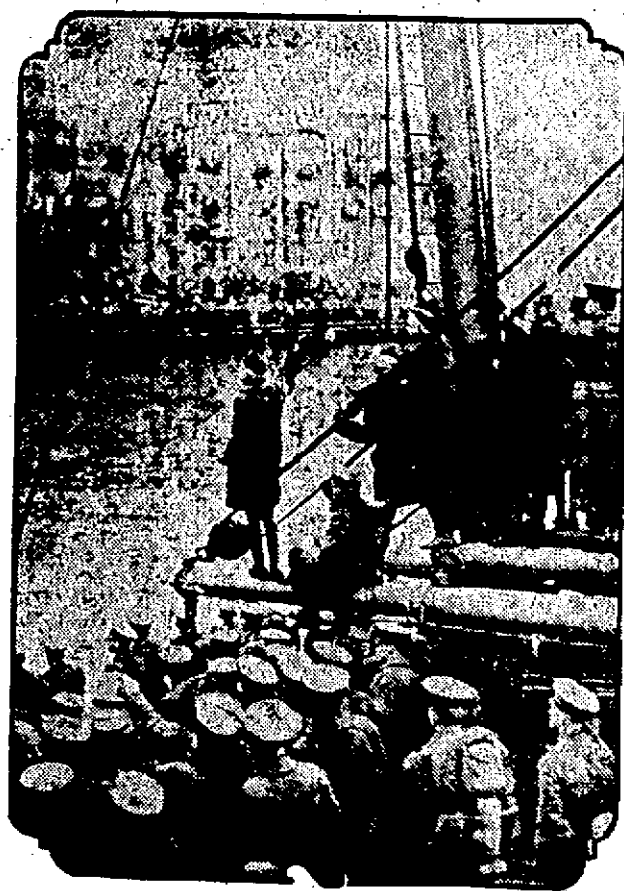
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ST. MIHIEL ARRIVES IN SAVANNAH

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



"RED" SCARES WERE INVENTED

Self-Confessed Spy Says Detective Agencies Urged Radicals to Violence

Ex-Employee of Burns, Thiel and Others, Creates Sensation at Communists' Trial

Scares Invented to Assist in Collection of Large Sums From Bankers, Etc.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—An amazing story of intrigue and deception was unfolded yesterday when Frank F. Walsh, attorney for 22 communists facing trial at St. Joseph, Mich., for advocating criminal syndicalism began taking the deposition of Albert Ballin, alias Balanow, self-confessed spy and agent-provocateur.

By Balanow's testimony Mr. Walsh is seeking to show that radical organizations and "red" scares were invented to assist them in collecting large sums from banking and other interests for the purpose of investigating an imaginary radical menace.

Balanow, in a story that ranged from sordid details of double-crossing and the double-double cross to high comedy, swore he had worked for W. J. Burns and the Thiel detective agencies at the same time as an expert on radical questions; that he had sold the secret reports of the Thiel agency to the Burns people; that an official of the Burns agency had picked his pocket and appropriated other Thiel reports; and that Allen O. Meyers, head of the radical bureau of the Burns agency had proposed that he make bombs and get well known radicals to throw them, so Burns' men could arrest the radicals.

Balanow swore that as an operative of the Thiel agency in 1917 he had been assigned to join the Cigar Makers' union as an agent-provocateur during a strike and was instructed to urge the strikers to break windows and commit other violence. His instructions, he said, came from Michael Flannigan, general manager of the agency, who, he said, told him to "always show radical side, be so extreme that they will have confidence in you."

Flannigan, he said, told him that Sol Lazor, president of the La Kurba Cigar Co., was furnishing \$100,000 to break the cigar workers' union.

Shortly after he suggested window breaking to Charles Winfield, business agent of the union, Balanow testified, 200 or 300 windows were broken, and later he discovered that Winfield was a Thiel operative also.

Later, under directions of Flannigan, he said, he joined the I. W. W., Socialist party, Socialist-Labor party, Communist party, Communist-Labor party, Young Peoples' Socialist League, Workers' Industrial union and other organizations and sought to stir up violence among their members. Flannigan, he said, furnished him typewritten speeches to read at meetings of the organizations, seeking to cause dissension and trouble.

While working for the Burns agency, he swore, he was sent to meetings of several organizations to preach violence.

In October, 1920, he swore, he met Raymond and Sherman Burns, sons of W. J. Burns, and Allan Meyers, head of the Burns' Agency's radical department, and Meyers told him he would supply explosives and show him how to make bombs. Meyers, he said, suggested he cultivate such men as Charles E. Ruthenberg, Levine, of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers; Edward Nockels of the Chicago Federation of Labor; Carlo Tresca and others and try to get them to throw bombs so Burns operatives could arrest them.

T. J. Cooney, head of the radical bureau of the Thiel agency, wrote him a letter about that time, he swore, charging Burns' men with various crimes and he showed it to Meyers. Later, he said, Meyers stole the letter

out of his pocket and refused to give it back.

Cooney, of the Thiel agency, he said, invented the "Knights of the Red Star," and gave him a copy of its alleged manifesto, which described the organization "as the most dangerous revolutionary organization in the United States."

Cooney admitted, he said, that no such group existed but explained it was necessary to have evidence of it to show Alfred Austrian, attorney for J. O'Brien and other Chicago packers, so the packers would put up money to keep the radical hunt going. He also swore that Cooney had faked reports, alleged to have been made by Balanow and had turned the report of a meeting of the textile workers of the I.W.W. into a secret conference of "Knights of the Red Star."

Later, Balanow said, he went to work for Burns again and gave him all the Thiel papers, including copies of the alleged membership list and reports, but advised him not to copy them because they were "imaginary stories."

"W. J. Burns," he said, replied "that's all the detective business is—imaginary stories."

Taking of the deposition and cross-examination of the witness is expected to take several days.

LOWELL GUILD COUNCIL MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Lowell guild council of district nurses was held yesterday at the guild's home, 17 Dutton street, with Mrs. William L. Robertson, president, in the chair. Routine business was transacted and the following report was submitted for the month of January:

District—Old cases carried forward 153; new cases, 205; total, 358. Dismissed cases, 229; carried cases, 129; total, 358. Old Metropolitan cases, 15; new Metropolitan cases, 117; total, 132. Nursing female, 123; instructive visits, 33; miscellaneous visits, 10; prenatal visits, 27; total, 173.

Nationalities of new patients—Americans, 118; Canadians, 25; Irish, 16; Greek, 19; French, 10; others, 17; total, 205.

Baby hygiene—Number of babies carried forward, 558; new babies, 31; babies readmitted, 1; total, 589. Dismissed for non-attendance, 2; dismissed for moving, 23; dismissed for non-cooperation, 1; dismissed because of death, 5; total, 31. Number of babies carried forward, 558; babies carried forward, 326; formula fed babies, 269; mixed fed babies, 172; total, 557. Number of home visits, 829.

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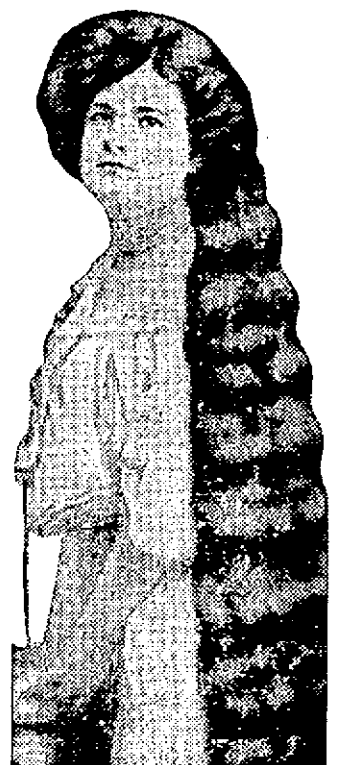
There was a large attendance at Colonial hall, Middle street, last evening, when the members of Troupe Bleur de Lys presented a two-act comedy, "La Poudre aux Yeux." The play was ably presented and the large audience voiced its appreciation with frequent applause. Those who took part in the drama were Charles E. Michaud, Jean Tessier, Joseph Belanger, Albert Lachance, Ernest Patrin, Eva Deland, Mrs. Eva Fortin, Irene Tessier, Annette St. George, Laurette Turant, Leopoldine Chiquette, L. Willis Pelletier and Joseph Dubois. Between the acts enjoyable musical and literary selections were given by Irene Tessier, Annette St. George, Albert Lachance and Mrs. Foreythe. The accompanist was Miss Laurette Durand.

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SPECIAL GRAND JURY PROBES RACIAL CLASH

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The investigation into the clash at Rosewood, near here by special grand jury impaneled here yesterday was expected to last through the week, Judge A. V. Long, presiding over the eighth judicial circuit court, said today.

The inquisitorial body was charged yesterday by Judge Long, but examination of witnesses was postponed until today because of the failure of Georges Decottes, prosecuting attorney, to arrive.

The official investigation is the outgrowth of racial trouble in the Rosewood section several weeks ago in which six negroes and two white men were killed.

WORLD'S YOUNGEST LICENSED PREACHER

GREENVILLE, Tex., Feb. 13.—Mayo Cleveland, eight years old, so far as known here, is the world's youngest licensed preacher.

Mayo delivered his first sermon to a large congregation at the Kluge town Baptist church Sunday. Baptized about three weeks ago, he expressed desire to become a duly ordained minister. His request was granted.

Bats, to avoid collisions with obstacles when flying, emit a vibrating note, inaudible to human ears, which reacts on meeting an obstruction, warning the bat to turn out.

"KNICKER PARTY" AT THE KASINO

The "Knicker parties" at the popular indoor roller-skating rink in the comfortable and attractive Kasino, are becoming the "talk of the day." The "No. 1" party last Thursday evening, convinced the management that the world of knickerbockers in and about Lowell needs no further embellishment for variety, up-to-dateness and general beauty.

Convinced that "Knicker parties" at the Kasino are popular enough to be repeated at least once each week, the management announces today that another one of the entertaining, novelty programs will be given this week, Thursday evening, at the Thorndike street amusement hall.

The prizes for this week's roller-skating carnival will be a "new series" of the original and expensive Kewpie dolls, popular at all winter entertainment events where both sexes mingle and enjoy themselves to the strains of good music.

SPANISH AMERICAN WAR VETERANS

Gen. Gardner W. Pearson was the principal speaker at last evening's meeting of the Spanish American War veterans, which was held in Memorial hall. The general spoke reminiscences on the Spanish-American war in which he participated and his remarks were listened to with great interest. Commander John W. Cannon of Newton also addressed the gathering. The evening's program was presided over by Major Walter R. Jayes.



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Action Follows Clash Between German Police and

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EAGLES' NOTICE

Lowell Eagles vs. Lawrence Eagles
Lowell Aerie has arranged for a series of games with Lawrence Aerie, the first the series to be played Thursday evening, Feb. 15, at Lawrence.

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Allies Occupy Rhine Ports
DUESSELDORF, Feb. 13.—(By the Associated Press.)—The occupation of the towns of Emmerich and Wesel, set for today, gives the Allies control of two Rhine ports. Both places are located on the right bank of the Rhine, north of this city.

According to German sources, yesterday's collision between French soldiers and German police at Gelsenkirchen, has aggravated the feeling between the French and the civilian population. Reports that French officers are using their riding whips upon German functionaries as a means of enforcing orders, add fuel to the smoldering fires of discontent.

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